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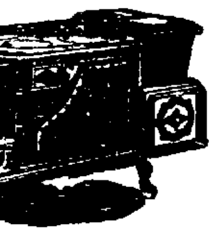
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LANGHORNE

Charles Lovett has entered the George School.

William Simpson has been visiting at Mrs. William Tomlinson's.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Heritage recently visited the Switch-back.

Samuel Garron has moved into the house vacated by Casper Snyder.

Dr. Louis Adler, of Philadelphia, was a recent guest of Dr. Henry Lovett.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, of Philadelphia, were recent guests of Mrs. Robert Ivins

Jonathan Wells, of Vandalia, Ohio, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Abraham Stradling.

Mrs. John Pickering, of Wissahickon, Philadelphia, has been visiting Mrs. Sara E. Allen.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Terry have returned from a several days' visit in the Catskill Mountains.

Harper Dripps and family will move into their Philadelphia home about the middle of the month.

The business and social meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church was held at the parsonage Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Sara E Allen, Mrs. Joseph Eshbrick and Mrs Joseph Lovett were named delegates to represent Sorosis at the State Federation, at Devon, this October.

The boys of Mrs. Charles Matthews Sunday school class will hold a rummage sale in the lecture room of the Presbyterian Church on Saturday, October 12th, from 3 until 9 p. m.

Rev. B F Palst is continuing the class in advanced German and will start a beginners class in French and German provided enough scholars are assured. Those contemplating joining the class should communicate with Rev. B. F Palst. The proceeds of the classes to be devoted to the church.

The first meeting of the Parents and Teachers Circle for the season of 1907-'08 was held on Tuesday afternoon, September 24th The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Albert Tomlinson; Vice President Mrs. S. P. Gilling ham; Secretary, Mrs. William H. Gilliam; Treasurer, Mrs. Joseph T Taylor; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Anna R. Paxson; Programme Committee, Mrs. W. K. Girton, Mrs. J B. Heritage, Mrs W. Fassett, Miss Iva B. Warner, Miss Jennie C. Arbogast., Visiting Committee, Mrs. Thomas Tomlinson, Mrs. Joseph T. Newbold, Mrs. C. C Riggs.

The next meeting will be held at Sorosis Club House October 18th at 8 o'clock. The invitation being extended by the Civic committee of Sorosis.

ANDALUSIA

Miss Eleanor Brown has gone to Philadelphia for a three weeks' visit.

Mrs. VanBuren, the mother of Dr. VanBuren has been quite ill for several days, but at the present writing she is somewhat better

We learn that William B. Chamberlain, who has for several years lived at his attractive home known as "Wyndlawn" has purchased "Devon" the estate of the late Dr. Charles R. King, on the banks of the Delaware. We congratulate him on having secured this very desirable property.

Miss Petty, Librarian at the Holmesburg Free Library, in a recent visit to the King Library paid an appreciative compliment to its admirable collection of books as well as to the careful manner in which they had been classified and arranged by Mr Penieston, who was lately in charge. This Library is now open every afternoon except Saturday from 3.30 to 4.30, for general use as well as on Tuesday and Saturday evenings.

Mrs. Ladd, formerly Miss Estel's Wright, of our village, paid a brief visit to her brother Dorrance Wright early last week, and started with her husband, Wednesday evening, October 2nd, for Mexico. Mr. Ladd goes thither to take a position with the famous Dolores Gold Mining Co. After going as far as the railroads can carry them they will have four days of traveling on mule back before reaching their destination. Mr. and Mrs. Ladd have already spent some years in Mexico and the land and their life there have a strong fascination for them as for most persons who are familiar with the country.

LOWER BENSALEM

The cottage prayer meeting next Wednesday evening will be held at the residence of Franklin Baker, Bridgewater A general invitation is extended.

The store of H. S. Lukens was entered a few nights ago and a quantity of goods stolen. The thieves have not been captured though some suspicions are abroad

A congregational meeting was called for the Eddington Presbyterian Church on Monday evening, October 14, for the election of two trustees and other business.

A congregational meeting of the Bensalem Presbyterian Church is called for Wednesday evening, October 16th, at 3 p. m. This meeting will be for the election of trustees, the hearing of reports and other business as may seem best.

The subject of the evening service at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday will be "Remember Eternity" The leader will be our popular teacher, Miss Anna P. Lowrie. The stirring music both by the congregation and invited soloist is a most acceptable feature of these meetings.

T. B. Simons after holding the position for many years has resigned the superintendency of the Eddington Presbyterian Sunday school. The following words of appreciation were adopted by rising vote on last Sunday morning:

In regretfully accepting the resignation of Mr Thomas B Simons as our superintendent we desire to put on record our appreciation of the faithful service he has rendered in that capacity for thirty-seven years with but one short interval in that long period

He has loyally stood at his post through all kinds of weather and in many changing experiences. He has seen the working forces of this school drop out one by one by reason of sickness, death and removal and their places filled by others while he has held valiently and laboriously on. Now that he insists upon being relieved of the burden and turning the leadership over to another we pray that God may yet give him many years of faithful service among us and fill his sunset skies with glory and peace.

OXFORD VALLEY

C. E. leader for next Sunday evening will be Mrs. J. B. Tomlinson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fabian and family visited over Sunday in Morton, Pa.

Mrs. C. W. Spencer went to Ansonia, Conn., last Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. I. Erwin

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blinn and daughters, Elva and Marian, of Newtown, spent Sunday at J. B. Tomlinson's.

S Walter Thompson began a course at Rider, Moore and Stewart Business College, Trenton, October first.

Mrs. C. Y. Stradling returned Thursday of last week from a visit to her mother, who is very sick, at Drumore, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hibbs and son returned on Monday of last week from a visit to relatives near Drumore, Lancaster county.

Mr. and Mrs. William Adams, of Eddington, and Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Rue, from near Bristol, spent Sunday at Charles Rue's.

The business meeting of the C. E. Society was held at L. F. Spencer's on Tuesday evening of last week. Officers and committees for the next six months were elected.

HULMEVILLE

Miss Florence Shaw was a visitor in Philadelphia one day last week

Miss Lizzie Tharp, of Philadelphia, was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Mrs. William McCoy and daughter, of Bristol, were visitors in town on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R Paxson took a trip on the Switchback on Thursday of last week.

Miss Rae Goheen and Mrs. John Steward were visitors in Philadelphia on Saturday

Alvin Schoenfeld was in Philadelphia one afternoon last week attending a base-ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forker and Mrs Henry Douglass spent last Friday in Philadelphia

Raymond Illick, of Philadelphia, was visiting his brother, Samuel, and family, last Friday

Mrs. William Tilton was visiting at Swarthmore from Saturday afternoon until Monday

George Harrison, of Asbury Park, N. J., was visiting relatives in town a few days last week.

Mrs. Laura Kirk and Mrs Mary Carson were in Churchville on Saturday attending a funeral.

Mr and Mrs. William Barkley visited relatives in Lambertville, N. J., a few days last week

Quite a number of people of Hulmeville attended the Inter State Fair held at Trenton last week

John Tomlinson and family, of Oxford Valley, were the guests of Burley Johnson and family on Sunday.

Miss Marion Tilton spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with Albert Goslin and family at Fox Chase.

Mr. and Mrs Elisha C. Praul and Ella Vansant were visiting John Benson and family at Trenton, on Sunday.

William Wilson and friend, of Trenton, were the guests of Howard Vansant and family on Thursday of last week.

John G Laros and family spent Sunday afternoon in Langhorne with his son-in-law, William Darrah and family.

Miss Hattie Glass and Mrs Esther Cornell, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Edward McElwee on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs Raymond Illick and son, Raymond, of Trenton, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Crosson.

Misses Clara Trudell, Esther Young and Miss Jackson, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Rev and Mrs. J. H. Barnes on Sunday

The bazaar given by the Sunshine Society of Neshaminy M. E. Church on Saturday evening was well attended and a financial success.

Mrs John Burk and Ambrose Ball, of Wissinoming and Mrs. Charles Smith, of Frankford, were the guests of Mr and Mrs. John Reed on Sunday.

Mrs Mahlon Bankins, of Middletown and Miss Helen Wear, of near Emilie, were calling on Mrs. Mary Carson, on Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mrs Forrest Curl, of Burlington, N. J, and Miss Louis Helkmey, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mrs. Laura Kirk, on Thursday of last week

Mr and Mis Gus Schulz and Mr. and Mrs. William Schulz and daughter, of Philadelphia, were visiting Mr and Mrs. Gus Schulz, Sr., from Saturday until Monday.

Mr and Mrs. James T Vansant were visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs Percy Haines, in Trenton, from Wednesday of last week until Friday. While there they attended the Trenton Fair

NEWPORTVILLE

A son was born to Mr and Mrs Albert Abrams last week

A Miller, of Maryland, was the guest of Lewis C. Rose on Sunday.

Mrs. Black, of Harrisburg, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Birkey.

Miss Grace Illick, of Hulmeville, was the guest of Mrs. Jesse C. Everitt on Sunday.

A great many of our citizens took in the sights of Trenton Inter State Fair on Thursday of last week.

Misses Alice, Ida and Myrtle Soby, of Holmeville, were visitors at the home of Edward Abrams on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Muirhead, of Trenton, N J, were visiting at the home of Mrs. William Vandegrift on Sunday.

Posters are again conspicuous announcing the reappearance of Dr. Dager on October 31, with his lecture, "Blunders."

Mrs Edward Baker, who has been in the employ of Mrs. William Killian, returned to her home at Frankford on Saturday of last week.

The second rally and anniversary services of the Union Sunday school will be celebrated on Sunday, 2 30 p. m., in the school house. Everybody welcome

The colored family by the name of Hall that has been living in one of Jesse C. Everitt's houses during the summer months moved on Monday to Torresdale.

Mrs. Mary Wilmot, Mrs. Peter Clark, Mrs. Mary DeGraves and Mrs. Lucy Mitchell, all of Wilburtha, N. J., were guests of Mrs Charles Mathews on Wednesday.

Mrs. Dugan vacated the hotel on Monday and moved to the former Markley property. The new landlord, Joseph Fane, of Philadelphia, has taken possession.

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THE COUNTY CAPITAL

The News of the Week in Doylestown as Gathered by Our Special Correspondent.

Doylestown, October 8, 1907.

Not only the cost of living but everything else is high, and now there is to be another extra drain. County Superintendent J. M. Shelley said this week that as there had been a deficit in the treasury after every Bucks County Teachers' Institute there will have to be some means of raising more money. He is thinking of two schemes. One is to add 25 cents to the price of every course ticket (or five cents a night) or charge each of the teachers an enrollment fee as is done in other counties.

"We are obliged to take some step of this kind," he said, "and I don't believe there will be much complaint, for the people demand the best lecturers and entertainers obtainable and should be willing to pay for them They would, doubtless, rather pay a little more than have cheaper talent Our institute instructors also cost more than they did some years ago, so that it can easily be seen where we stand when it comes to finances."

In addition to the lecturers already announced Superintendent Shelley has secured Dr. S. C Schmucker, of West Chester, and Dr. Fassett A. Cotton, State Superintendent of Indiana

FUNNY PRESCRIPTIONS

One of the local druggists was "stumped" last week when he received a note asking him to give the bearer a "small bottle of giraff, long neck." He finally decided that the writer meant tonsilene which has the head and neck of a giraffe for a trade mark In telling of this incident he was led to speak of other humorous notes he received Frequently he says, there are calls for "loudmon," "nider" "sorosertores," "pareging for pain," and the like. Some send for a "black baby's nipple" or a "round baby's bottle," and one patron sent for "rubber pills" She meant rhubarb pills. Just a few samples of the notes are as follows:

"Would you pleas tell the boy what is good for a house that has bed bugs is is selpher good to Burn please tell him and give him ten cents worth"

"Pleas give this boy something to fix a lamp the burner to the foot part do not know the name."

MAY ENTER THE LEAGUE.

It is likely that Doylestown will enter the proposed North Penn League of ball teams next season Manager Kelly has faith in such an organization and believes all the teams mentioned would draw here, but adds that he would like to see Norristown included Some action may be taken by the local association soon and if it is decided affirmatively a fair will be held this winter to raise funds to start the team off in good shape

NOT WITH P. R. T.

When the Gazette correspondent asked Superintendent Janney, of the Newtown Electric Street Railway Company, if Rapid Transit Company tickets were good on his road he replied most emphatically in the negative, and declared that rumors that the P R T has control of the road are false.

BAD SEWERAGE MUST STOP.

Warning after warning from the Board of Health to the owners of houses within and south of the point where Main and Green streets converge to stop draining their sewerage into a stream which leads to the Turk dam from which the borough secures part of its ice supply have been of no avail, so that Board has notified the owners to sever the connections and build cess pools within thirty days. Otherwise legal prosecutions will be instituted. At the meeting of the Board when this action was taken it was reported that during September there were four deaths, two marriages and six births in the borough.

WANT BETTER FACILITIES.

"We have no better facilities at the Philadelphia & Reading depot here now than we had forty years ago," said a local business man last week, and now an effort is being made to induce the railroad to make some changes. The patrons of the freight department particularly, are active. They want a more commodious freight house and additional assistants there. At present there is no provision for the storing of freight after it is taken from the cars, to protect it from bad weather, and merchants who come for freight are obliged to wait an hour or more at a time before they can either get their boxes, etc., from the cars themselves, or until the agent, who has more than he can do, can get them "There isn't another place in the county where so much is left to the honesty of the people," said one resident. "Anybody can go into a car or freight house and help themselves We folks have to take this course or we would never get our freight." The Board of Trade will probably take the question up.

COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE.

Directors of the local public schools have decided to give the parents of children fair warning of the provisions of the compulsory attendance law and then proceed to carry the requirements into effect. There is no other way left open to them, under the revised laws, as failure to enforce the laws can result in the prosecution of the school officials In past years the Board has been very lenient in this respect, partly because of the ignorance of the parents as to what was required. This year to provide against any more such pleas the Board has decided to have the principal features of the compulsory attendance laws printed in convenient form and sent into every home having children attending school. Then if there are any delinquents they will proceed with prosecutions as required. Children between the ages of 8 and 16 years must attend school, unless lawfully excused, and may be prosecuted if after being absent three days or their equivalent, they fail to return within three days after being notified. The law requires that children between these ages must attend school continuously for 75 per cent. of the school term. This allows them but six days actual absence within the first seven months here, unless legally excused.

The only other matter of interest in connection with the schools, which came up last night at the Board's meeting, was its endorsement of the plan of giving the teachers a certain number of days to visit schools in other towns, as was done last term It will be continued this year under the same arrangements which do not interfere with the provisions to secure the appropriation.

"REGULARS" VS. LAJOIE A. C.

Lots of interest was manifested last week in the game between the Doylestown A. A. ball team and the Lajoie A. C., two rival teams of this place, for the championship of the county seat but it was so cool, Saturday, that there was not a large attendance at the game. The "regulars," for some unknown reason, were only represented by a "scrub" team but they succeeded in winning the contest by the score of 3 to 2. Up to the latter end of the game it looked as though Lajoie boys would come out on top, but their pitcher, Harding, became wild, and the "big fellows" walked off with the plum.

FOR RAPID READING.

Steps are being taken to reorganize the Choral Union.

Mrs. John Atler died here on Saturday of cancer, aged 67 years.

Harry Hartman, of Tullytown, is here in jail, awaiting trial for larceny.

Sciota Tribe, I. O. R. M., has 134 members and its total worth of $2600.

Mrs. Harold Hellyer underwent an operation for appendicitis last week.

Eleven fine western horses sold here yesterday, for an average of $202.63.

Joseph Beck, formerly of Bristol, died Saturday at the County Home, aged 80 years.

Sheriff Paxson has thirty-six prisoners in the county jail. About five are awaiting trial.

A. K. Thomas has won the local roque championship, wining fourteen out of eighteen games.

Oscar Hamilton will move from Newtown to the residence of the Historical Society building.

Few of the local squirrel hunters returned with more than two and a great many were empty handed.

Last month there were 489 pupils enrolled in the public schools, less than last year. There were 226 boys and 263 girls

"September was the wettest month for years," says Local Observer Alfred Walton, who reports that over nine inches of rain fell.

A serious fire was narrowly averted at the Railroad House, last week when an oil stove got afire in the parlor and burned the woodwork considerably

Inventories have been filed in the following estates: Ann F. Shaw, late of Quakertown, $3029.27; James E Lowright, late of Richland township, $28 45

Mr. and Mrs. William B Hill, of this place, who attended the meeting of the North Philadelphia Baptist Association this year, were present at the meeting there fifty years ago.

Twenty four members of the Northampton Historical Society came here, Thursday, and visited the Historical Society museum and the collection of antiques owned by Henry C Mercer.

When the semi-annual meeting of the Village Improvement Association was held it was found that there were 96 members This winter the organization will sew for the Burd Industrial School.

Ex-Steward John Price writes from Wisconsin, where he is visiting relatives, that he is having good luck shooting squirrels Word has been received here that his brother, Samuel Price, of Norristown, is quite low with paralysis.

Marriage licenses issued recently were as follows. To George W. Robbins, of Morrisville, and Miss Deborah G. Thomas, Tullytown; to Francis G Rowe and Miss Grace L Flowers, of Langhorne, to Isaac D. Freeman and Miss Anna M Hance, of Bristol.

To increase the members of the organization Doylestown Fire Company is preparing to have a number of smokers and social sessions this winter Delegates have been elected to attend the meeting at Perkasie at which it is proposed to form a Bucks County Firemen's Association.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Bristol—Ann Boyle to Andrew J. McCue, September 28, 1907, lot, $1, Heirs of Edward W. Forker to Mary Simons, September 30, 1907, lot, $1657 50

Langhorne—Manor Real Estate and Trust Company to John A. Taylor, September 18, 1907, lot, $5500.

Middletown—John Gilmore to Edith B Reichman, September 27, 1907, lot, $1; Charles Reichman to John Gilmore, September 27, 1907, 2a $1.

Hulmeville—William P. Tilton to Mary R Huntsman, September 28, 1907, lot, $1; William P. Tilton to Katie S Hibbs, September 28, 1907, lot, $350; Elisha C. Praul to Grace H Paxson, September 28, 1907, lot, $480

Trevose—Mary E. Carver to Elizabeth W Tyler, September 26, 1907, lot, $200.

Newtown—Samuel T. Buckman to John B. Buckman, May 8, 1907, lot, $100.

Bristol—Frederick Leibfreid, et ux to Barthold H Goldsmith, February 7, 1907, lot, $1, Berthold H. Goldsmith to Frederick Leibfreid, February 7, 1907, lot, $1.

Middletown—John T. Fish to Lincoln G Line, January 21, 1907, lot, $50

Northampton—Birdsey Wilcox to Thomas C Yeakle, October 4, 1907, 8a, 62p., $8000.

Morrisville—Irene M. Martin to John W. Lewis, September 26, 1907, lot $1000, Charles Heller to Fred W Wright, September 18, 1907, lot, $300.

Langhorne—Henry A. James, master, to Stella M. Kelly, September 25, 1907, lot, $3000

Bristol—Gabriel Schlesser to William V Leech, September 27, 1907, lot, $1625; John D Sailer to Joseph Durkin, October 1, 1907, lot, $3600.

NEWTOWN

Miss Annie P. Chambers is recovering from an attack of fever.

Albert Hogeland was home from Lafayette College over Sunday.

Miss Annie Moore has been spending several days with Trenton relatives.

The Senior Friends Association meets on Wednesday evening in the Meeting House.

The Loyal Temperance Legion began its winter sessions on Monday with 150 children present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Worstall are on a trip to the State of Illinois and to the Jamestown Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Fretz and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Case are on a trip to the Jamestown Exposition.

Mr and Mrs. Alfred Hennessey and child, of Lansdale, have been spending a week with the former's parents here.

St. Luke's P. E. Church will celebrate its 75th anniversary with appropriate exercises in the church on October 18th.

The annual supper of the Presbyterian Church this year called a "Jack Frost Tea" will be held on Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, in Newtown Hall.

John Linton, a boarder in the Norristown Friends Home, spent Monday with his niece, Mrs. John Blackfan, whose mother is visiting her at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taylor will celebrate their golden wedding on October 15, when they will entertain their relatives and friends at 6 o'clock in honor of this unusual anniversary.

The Junior Friends Association held a meeting on Sunday afternoon, when papers and discussions on the "Indian" made the programme for the day. A systematic study of this race of America will be continued during the winter.

The W. C. T. U. holds its monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs R. Anna Reeder, when an interesting programme on Suffrage will be presented. This society last week sent fifteen scrap books to the "Day Nursery" in Philadelphia

Newtown is alleged to have the first colored church building that there is in Bucks county. Rev. Daniel P. Witter is the pastor and last Sunday conducted a very successful rally at which time the sum of ninety-seven dollars was realized. With the proceeds the trustees have purchased a new seventy dollar heater and purchased sufficient coal for the winter.

Aged Couple Married.

Two aged inmates of the State Masonic Home of Burlington, N. J., were married on Saturday by Chaplain Charles Bowden, of Camden, in the presence of several members of the Masonic Grand Lodge and others, including Joseph Katzenbach, father of the Democratic nominee for Governor of New Jersey.

The parties to the wedding were Joseph Cozen, aged 76, a member of Hiram Lodge, of Jersey City, and Mrs. Elizabeth Watson, 75, of Hoboken.

The oldest rural mail carrier in this country is E. T. Wright, who carries the mail from South Columbus to Shadesville, Ohio. He is 80 years old and has carried the mails for 55 years.

Fridjof Nansen, the Norwegian Minister to England, and former Arctic explorer, who has been anxious to resign, has agreed to accept the post of Minister of Foreign Affairs in the Norwegian Cabinet.

PENN'S MANOR

Raymond Rice, of Bordentown, called on friends in the Manor one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs Jacob Scarborough spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Trenton.

Mrs. James Grass and son, of Philadelphia, were visiting at David Londerback's last week.

Mr and Mrs Abram Servis, of Fallsington, called on Mr and Mrs John Neely last Sunday

Miss Jennie W. Greenlee will lead Christian Endeavor next Sunday evening Topic—"Remember Eternity"

The subject of our pastor's sermon in the Chapel last Sunday evening was, "Charity" Text was taken from I Cor. 13.1

Mr. and Mrs J. F Seidensticker and son, Raymond, spent last Sunday with William Stilwell and family, Blawenburg, N J

The monthly business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society was held at the home of Mrs C J. Seidensticker last Tuesday evening

There are very few farmers who are picking strawberries at this season of the year. Jacob Scarborough picked a few quarts out of his patches last week

The Manor was visited by another cyclone last Tuesday morning at nine o'clock It lasted about twenty minutes Trees were uprooted and limbs were lying in every direction. The tobacco warehouse on the William B Ivins farm was blown down. The place is farmed by Charles Appenzeller, who had potatoes and farm implements in the building

FALLSINGTON

Miss Lily Moon spent Sunday at Trenton Junction.

Mrs. Elizabeth Haines has returned from Philadelphia.

Miss Lily Moon received nine prizes from the Inter-State Fair.

Miss Josephine Clark, of Philadelphia, has been at her home here

Miss Rachel Carver took twenty one prizes at the Inter-State Fair, Trenton.

Miss Marion L. White, of Asbury Park, is a guest at William Watson's.

A harvest home service was held in the M. E. Church at 3 30 p m, last Sunday.

Leon B Sickles was elected county President of the L T. L, at the tenth annual convention, held at Dolington.

Our veterinary surgeon. Stockton Hibbs, while visiting a sick horse, belonging to Dr. Richards at Byron Headleys, in Penns Manor, missed his box of tools from his wagon and concluded he had been robbed The horse company was called together preparatory to making a search, when the outfit was found, where its owner had left it, at another place

A horse belonging to Isaac Carver became frightened at an automobile and broke through the fence into the yard of Abram Servis Mr Carver probably could have controlled the animal, but the bit broke and he was thrown from the wagon The horse ran across the yard and out in the road breaking the fence in another place. Mr. Carver was not seriously hurt

Trenton Fair Prizes.

The following is a list of persons in this vicinity who were awarded prizes last week at the Inter State Fair at Trenton, N J.:

Mrs. W A Crawley, Morrisville, first prize, parasol; second, cross stitch article in silk

Mrs. E. L. Altus, Bristol, first, table cloth, lace or drawn work.

Miss Martha Trudgen, Bristol, second, centrepiece

Miss Lillie Moon, Fallsington, third, shirt waist solid work in white cotton, second, eyelet bureau or sideboard cover, first, eyelet glove or handkerchief case, second, coronation or rice braid sofa pillow, second, beaded belt, first, catch all, second, laundry bag, first, fancy basket; second, Raffea work, any article

W. K Stackhouse, Bristol township, second, cured ham, first, round of dried beef.

Mrs Henry C. Brown, Bristol township second, round of dried beef

Miss Mabel Harrison, Bristol, first, cake made by child under twelve years.

John W Lewis, Morrisville, second, antique curiosities

Mrs. P. Bell, Morrisville, second, jar of Chili sauce

Mrs. Elmer Anderson, second, quart of canned asparagus.

Miss Rachel B Carver, Fallsington, second, Duchesse lace handkerchief, first painted photograph case, second, figures in oil; second, flowers, painting, first, portrait; second, marine painting, first, painting—still life; first, painting—fruit; first, still life, first—animals, second, painting—fruit, first, painting—heads, first, painting—still life, second, figure on china, second, 12 pieces china painting, second, painted vase; second, painted shirt waist set.

Eddington Store Robbed.

Burglars broke into the general store of Harry Lukens, at Eddington, a few nights ago and got away with fifteen hundred choice cigars. Entrance was gained by boring out a panel in a rear door. This store is apparently a favorite object of attack, as it has been burglarized upon a number of occasions. A year ago Mr Lukens scared some men away who were attempting to enter the place It is believed that the men who got into the Luken's store are the ones who robbed similar stores at Trevose, Somerton and other places where only cigars were taken.

A substitute for cedar in the manufacture of pencils has been discovered in Germany and pencils made of it will soon be on the market. The principal ingredient of the new composition is potato and it is claimed that pencils can be made more rapidly and more economically than with wood.

The German colonies in southwest Africa are being destroyed by locusts. It is said that nothing like the present scourge has been known since 1871.

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There will be an electrical pageant, a magnificent military and naval display, a gathering of patriotic societies, a parade and ball by the fraternal orders, a big concert, and a night carnival.

There will be also a special pilgrimage to Annapolis on "Peggy Stewart Day," Saturday, October 19, when visitors will have an opportunity to inspect the magnificent new building of the United States Naval Academy and the remodeled State House, so full of historic associations.

The Homecomers will have the advantage of specially low railroad rates. The Pennsylvania Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Baltimore, October 12 to 14, good for return passage until October 21, inclusive, from all stations on its lines north and east of Shewsbury, Principio, and Port Deposit, at a considerable reduction from regular fare.

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Buckingham—EDWARD R KIRK
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Doylestown Township—FRANK HEATON.
Durham—HUGH F PURDY
Falls—JOHN H WOOLSTON.
Haycock—MAHLON D FRANKENFIELD.
Hilltown—PHARES ALBRIGHT
Hulmeville Borough—JOSEPH M. KEEN
Ivyland Borough—B. FRANK ROSENSACK
Langhorne Borough—FREDERIC B. TOMLINSON.
Langhorne Manor Borough—JOSEPH ESHERICK
Makefield, Lower—FRANK ROBINSON.
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Middletown—NOEL C KENNEDY.
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New Hope Borough—C. C D. JOHN.
Newtown Borough—I WILSON MERRICK.
Newtown Township—CHARLES WATSON.
Nockamixon—THEO H MOYER.
Northampton—DR GEORGE BLAKER.
Perkasie—ISAIAH C BARNDT.
Plumstead—EDWARD W UTZ
Quakertown Borough—E J. THOMAS
Rockhill, East—A K DRUMBORE.
Rockhill, West—LEIDY S WILE
Richland—CHAS H FENNIMORE
Richlandtown Borough—ROBT KLINE.
Sellersville Borough—ANDREW C GROFF
Silverdale Borough—PRESTON W GROOVER
Solebury—WATSON F PAXSON
Southampton—FRANK HOGELAND.
Springfield—PAUL APPLE
Telford Borough—E C LEIDY
Tinicum—CLINTON S LERCH.
Tullytown Borough—JOHN BURTON.
Warminster—ROBERT H ENGART
Warrington HARRY S ABBOTT, Jr.
Warwick—CHAS T WILKINSON.
Wrightstown—ALFRED WORTHINGTON.
Yardley Borough—L L WHITE.

On taxes paid on or before NOVEMBER FIFTEENTH, an abatement of THREE PER CENT. will be allowed After that date execution will be issued and FIVE PER CENT. added with costs

It is the duty of the Justice to whom the schedule of unpaid taxes shall be delivered by the Treasurer to deliver a written or printed notice to every person named in the schedule, for the service of which notice the said Justice shall be allowed ten cents each, to be paid by the delinquent taxpayer

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
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REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET

For County Treasurer,
WILMER W CORNELL, Warminster

For Register of Wills
I SIDNEY CADWALLADER, Yardley

For Director of the Poor,
HENRY B DETWEILER, Plumstead

For Coroner,
HOWARD F WHITE, Doylestown

For County Surveyor,
CHARLES HENRY MOON, Falls

The Republican party of Pennsylvania never had a better type of genuine man as a candidate for office than John O Sheatz for State Treasurer.

It is said in press despatches from Newport, R I, that the family of Miss [illegible] Vanderbilt will present Count Laszlo Szechenyi with $5,000,000 when he [illegible] the young lady Ugh!

Lewis Emery Jr of Bradford, is certainly bombarding the courts of the State with new paper libel suits since his defeat for Governor One of the latest objects of Mr Emery's wrath is the Norristown Herald

Three and tri are not always synonymous terms For instance The press dispatches state that in President Roosevelt's hunting party were three colored guides Tri colored guides would certainly be a novelty

The National League of Barbers, which has been in session in Philadelphia this week gave much time to the discussion of the problem of the elimination of germs in the practice of the tonsorial art We will wager the microbes in favor of the exclusion of that maleficient torturer, the barber with a dull razor

Sundry clubs and political organizations of Pennsylvania may have declared for Senator Knox for the Presidency, but if an attempt is made to find the true sentiment of the Republican voters it will be found that Secretary of War Taft is the favorite for successor to President Roosevelt Delegates do not always represent the wishes of the people

Senator Grim has always vigorously [illegible] that he was the editor or ever actively engaged in the management of the Doylestown Democrat, when the Gazette so distinguished him However, in a newspaper published in Texas, in an interview which was last week reprinted in the Democrat, the Senator, who is on a tour to Mexico, claimed in the Texas publication that he is the editor of the Doylestown Democrat. By the way, Editor Grim is having a fine trip as the guest of Senator Hall, the Elk county millionaire to Mexico The party consists of the Senators Hall, Herbst Grim and Dewalt and their wives The tour is being made in a private Pullman

Success has been interpreted to have manifold meanings, but to a Kansas woman has been awarded a prize by a Boston firm for the best definition of what constitutes success and this was her answer:

"He has achieved success who has lived well laughed often and loved much who has gained the respect of intelligent men and the love of little children, who has filled his niche and accomplished his task who has left the world better than he found it, whether by an improved poppy, a perfect poem or a rescued soul who has never lacked appreciation of earth's beauty nor failed to express it who has always looked for the best in others and given the best he had whose life an inspiration whose memory a benediction.

A great many states are perturbed over the liquor question, but it has remained for the country "where rolls the Oregon" to apply remedial legislation of a practical nature. The State of Oregon has taken a new and novel departure on the temperance movement and the plan is said to be working admirably In all other States where liquor is allowed to be sold, the seller is licensed Sometimes the license fee is made so high as to be almost prohibitive. In Oregon the order of things has been reversed Instead of licensing the seller the buyer of strong drink is compelled to take out a license for which he has to pay for every six months.

A feature of the law that is especially unpopular among a large class of drinking people is that every six months the complete list of the licensed drinkers is published

The most interesting member of the Senate from some points of view will be the first blind man to take a seat there—Thomas P Gore of Oklahoma. Mr. Gore has not yet been elected, but he was chosen by the Democratic party caucus and as the Democrats won the election in the State, he is sure of being named Gore is well known in Oklahoma as a sincere man and one much interested in public affairs. When he announced his candidacy for the Senate he was opposed by so many rich, practical politicians that no one thought he could be elected His only comment on the contest was "God help the men to see my sincerity" In every speech he made he referred to his wife as "the little brown-eyed woman," and urged the voters to support him for her sake The combination won, and Gore will be one of the first Senators from the new State

The Editor of the Gazette knows John G Harman, of Bloomsburg He practically lived with him for four months. Mr. Harman is a good fellow, kind and genial and an orator who has few equals in this State We believe that if Mr. Harman were elected State Treasurer he would conduct the office honestly, but when the gentleman from Columbia presumes as he has done in his public utterances that it is necessary for him to be elected in order to have the functions of the office discharged honestly, he knows he is dispensing political super heated atmosphere. No one better than Mr. Harman knows the splendid moral fiber of John O Sheatz. He served two sessions in the Legislature with him and was a witness to the Philadelphian's manly actions in defying the "powers that prey" and heard Mr. Sheatz publicly threatened with political annihilation because of his independent course. Mr Harman above all others, knows that Mr. Sheatz will conduct the office of Treasurer honestly and fearlessly

Scientists declare that dogs fed on nothing but beef extracts will starve to death quicker than canines fed on nothing but water Beef extract is a stimulant but has no food value whatever.

Rev Dr George T Rutledge, of Philadelphia last week at the meeting of the Ministerial Union in an address upon the theme of 'The Preachers Out of the Pulpit,'' argued against the practice of making pastoral calls This portion of the minister's work is absurd and harmful

How many boys or young men do you know in Bristol who are equipping themselves for life' struggle by learning trades? How many do you know who are applying themselves to master the trades of the carpenter, the brick mason, the stone mason, the blacksmith, or the many varied mechanical pursuits? Not many Yet journeymen in all these occupations demand and receive good compensation—from $3 50 to $5 00 per day What's the reason of this dearth of boys to learn trades? Is it because, for a temporary season, boys can obtain a dollar or two a week more in the mills? The boy or young man who neglects to learn a trade is refusing an asset that will always yield cash dividends

The Democratic State campaign committee placed a halter about its' neck when it directed attention to John O Sheatz's vote in the Legislature on a 'water snake'' bill during the 1903 session The Democratic literary bureau sent out the statement that Mr Sheatz had voted for the iniquitous measure, but the Republican nominee for State Treasurer produced the evidence that the vote on the bill was 170 to 1, and that John O Sheatz was the only member who voted against it! Every Democratic member present including Fred T Ikler, from Candidate Harman's home county, who is now on the stump preaching against Sheatz, voted for the water grab A few more such attacks as that on Mr Sheatz and his record will insure his unanimous election

The Philadelphia Press claims that the Democratic candidate for State Treasurer, John H Harman, is much discouraged over the progress of his campaign It is claimed the Democratic committee is without funds to conduct meetings as planned and that stump artists who had pledged to assist Harman have deserted him R Scott Ammerman, of Danville, a polished Democratic orator and member of the House failed to keep his engagements and Senators Dewalt, of Lehigh Herbst, of Berks, Grim of Bucks and Hall, of Elk all seasoned campaigners, have gone to Mexico on a pleasure jaunt at this critical time in the campaign Every one of these Democrats know that there is not the slightest probability of Harman's election Dewalt could have had the nomination for Treasurer but refused, as he believed as he said in Harrisburg, nothing could stop Mr Sheatz's election However they could stay by the ship and go down with colors flying

It was a poet who said that 'While systems change, and suns retire, and worlds slumber and wake—Time's ceaseless march proceeds''

Time effects many changes—changes in habits, in fashion, in manners of living and in worship What was pertinent yesterday is obsolete today The doctrines, creeds beliefs tenets and dogmas preached a few years ago would excite ridicule now It was not long ago that in order to compel mankind to worship God, was preached a doctrine of hell and damnation rather than Christ and love These thoughts are inspired by a reference in press despatches to the home and Church of Jonathan Edwards at Northampton, Mass Rev Edwards was an extraordinary man, the most extreme and uncompromising Calvinist He preached a religion of fear Along about 1740 Edwards was in his prime In a sermon which he preached upon the 'Eternity of Hell Torments'' he pictured a scene of the most horrible and endless torment invoked by an angry and wrathful God 'Times ceaseless march'' does proceed and it is to the credit of the present age that the ethics of religion do not now embrace burning human beings as witches, lashing Quakers at cart tails nor preaching endless physical torment for unbelievers and sinners.

It makes one kind of tired to read the efforts of some stoop-shouldered, tied-to-the-desk city newspaper man to glorify the life of the independent farmer He writes that the city man is the victim of the butcher, the baker and the poor gas maker He pays for everything except air Then the city editor gets enthusiastic and with a corn stock for a halo says 'Not so with the farmer Though his fields are broad and his fences high and strong, he has a neighborly feeling for everyone who lives within ten miles of him His pastures and poultry yards supply his meats and eggs, his garden fills his vegetable cellars every fall and his fruit house is stocked with fresh canned and cured fruit in abundance He works leisurely through the spring and early summer, rushes a little during harvest and then spends the winter doing the chores and cutting his year's fuel'

Yes, yes We have read of such rural dreams, but you can't locate them in reality. We don't have farmers about here who 'work leisurely through the spring and early summer,' etc. Our farmers get up at daylight and milk the cows in order to ship on an early train to market. Then they get breakfast and work in the fields After dinner more work until six After supper milk the cows again and when that is finished the "independent" farmer is tired enough to go to bed The next day it is the same thing. In the course of a few years, after Mr Farmer is thoroughly convinced that farming doesn't pay, if he is lucky, he sells his hundred acres for a sum that does not equal what it cost him to build his house and barn Boys, dont' stick to the farm—not in this section—there is nothing in it

Rally at Emilie and Tullytown M. E. Churches.

Next Sunday, October 13, will be observed as Autumn Rally Day by the Methodist Episcopal Churches and Sunday schools, at Emilie and Tullytown The services at the former church will be held in the morning at 9 45 and 10 45 o'clock At Tullytown the services will be held at 2 30 and 7 30 p m Former Mayor Emery N. Yard, of Trenton, will participate in all the services Special instrumental music will be provided A neat and appropriate souvenir of the day will be presented to every man, woman and child attending any of these services, and everybody is invited. Services will be held rain or shine

The two Christian Endeavor Societies connected with the churches above named are busy planning for the annual convention of the Bucks County Christian Endeavor Union to be held in the Tullytown M. E Church on Thursday, October 17.

Vin Tone the great spring tonic Why not try it and feel good Get it at Douglass' Pharmacy.

She "Why are all the vessels spoken of as 'she'? It's because they glide so gracefully isn't it?' He No It's because their rigging costs so much"

POLITICAL DRIFT.

The political campaign in Bucks county has thus far been an unusually quiet one, and there have been no demonstrations of any kind The nomination of John O Sheatz for State Treasurer has apparently united all factions in the Republican party and it is anticipated that this county will give a big majority for the head of the Republican State ticket, something that the voters of Bucks have not been in the habit of doing

There is every reason to believe that Wilmer W Cornell, candidate for county treasurer will receive the normal Republican majority next month Pitted against Cornell is William Neis of Doylestown Mr Cornell is a young farmer, while Mr Neis conducts one of the largest and most prosperous bottling establishments in the county The latter was defeated three years ago for the same office by the present Republican treasurer John B Poore, of Rieglesville

John Mitchell, of Newtown and Henry H Shisler, of Sellersville, Democratic candidates for Register of Wills and Coroner respectively, were Bristol visitors this week

A Doylestown correspondent of the Philadelphia Record in the Sunday issue of that paper portrayed an impending contest with dire results to the Republican ticket in this county next year when members of the Legislature are to be elected The Record's correspondent says in part

The political forecasters in Bucks county are looking ahead to the possible results of the legislative contest in the county a year hence, and are basing their predictions on present manifestations which are in the interest of Senator Penrose's re election to the United States Senate

'Even with the election a little more than a year in the future the indications are claimed to point to the success not only of Democratic members of the Legislature from Bucks but also the entire Democratic ticket of next year

"A number of voters who are opposed to the re election of Senator Penrose, have hoped that Joseph S Thomas, of Bristol and Roland Hack, of Warwick, present Republican members of the Legislature whose terms expire next year and who have made for themselves records against all Gang measures in the Assembly, would be renominated without opposition in their party Already movements are afoot to prevent this, and it is alleged that if these movements are successful and Thomas and Hack are turned down and Penrose men are nominated in their place it will mean the defeat not only of the Republican Assembly ticket but the entire Republican County ticket

'Thomas represents the lower district of the county and Hack the middle Under the reapportionment, however Bucks county lost one member, so that Warren S Crossman, of the middle district who was a candidate last year for the State Senate was defeated by Webster Grim Democrat for the reason that he (Crossman) refused to declare himself against Penrose while the balance of the Republican ticket was elected by good safe majorities

It is well understood that on account of the editorials which Thomas publishes in his newspaper, Senator Penrose will not stand for his renomination to the State Legislature Hence the political contest already looms big in the county'

CAMPAIGN FOR GREAT INLAND WATERWAY.

Joseph R. Grundy One of Committee to Promote Enterprise for Thoroughfare from Cape Cod to North Carolina.

A campaign to secure an inland waterway from Cape Cod on the north to Beaufort, N C, on the south will be begun in Philadelphia next month at a general conference of representatives of the manufacturing and commercial interests of the Atlantic seaboard

As a result of the recent action of the Trenton Chamber of Commerce in passing a resolution for a general deeper waterways conference along the Atlantic coast, Wilbur F Sadler Jr, the president, went to Philadelphia on Tuesday and after consulting with Congressman Moore, appointed a committee to make arrangements for the conference

This committee which will hold its first meeting in Mayor Reyburn's office at noon next Monday consists of Mayor Reyburn Mahlon N Kline president of the Trades League, Joel Cook president of the Board of Trade, Congressman Hiram R Burton of Lewes, Del, Joseph R Grundy, a manufacturer of Bristol Pa, Mayor O Taylor Rue, of Burlington N J and W Holt Apgar, an attorney of Trenton

In explanation of the urgency of the present movement Congressman Moore said

"The whole of the Mississippi Valley has organized to obtain appropriations for the deepening of the Mississippi from the lakes to the Gulf This tremendous project would require $100,000 000 at the outstart President Roosevelt has been over the ground and has practically set his seal of approval upon the project

"The deepening of the Mississippi is a great commercial project which ought to come in conjunction with the general deepening of waterways and the completion of the Panama Canal It would divert much of the trade that now runs naturally to the Pacific and Atlantic sea boards

'The Western people are hustlers It is highly important to the entire Atlantic coast that an organization be effected to develop the waterways of the East The purpose of the present movement growing out of the Trenton conference is to widen the scope of Eastern influence and to put the vast business interests on guard so that they may not fall behind the general procession

'The resolution provides for a commingling of business interests along this seaboard with the ultimate purpose of effecting a permanent Atlantic Seaboard Deeper Waterways Association There is no greater question before us today than the movement of commerce and the regulation of rates Since the East is strong in commerce and manufactures it is important that commercial and business men should get together for the common good''

Following the organization of the committee next Monday it is proposed not only to invite the Governors of the various Atlantic seaboard States from New England to Florida to send representatives to the November conference, but to awaken the business interests of the East to the importance of the occasion and secure concerted action on the part of their representatives before the next session of Congress It is pointed out that the Congressmen of the Middle West are firmly united in their efforts to secure a large appropriation for the Mississippi project, which if successful would defer for many years any similar improvement in the waterways of the East

EDDINGTON

Fred Henry is on the sick list

Samuel Murray, of Holmesburg, was a visitor in town Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Lippincott, of Bristol, was visiting friends of this place Sunday

Miss Fannie Marter has returned home after spending a week in Beverly, N J.

Mrs Mary Barnes, of Philadelphia, was visiting Daniel Young and family on Sunday

Miss Mary Barton, of Mechanicsville, spent Saturday with Daniel Young and family

Miss Elsie M Wink was visiting Warner Walton and family, of Holmesburg on Sunday

Mr and Mrs John Keen were visiting the former's sister, Mrs Edward Vandegrift on Tuesday

Mr and Mrs Lukens of Somerton, spent Friday and Saturday with their son, H S Lukens, of this place

Mr Slavin, of Tacony, has moved into the house vacated by Joseph Vandegrift who has moved to Cornwells

Mr Bitner, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Phillip Bitner, of this place

William Jones and sister, Margaret, of Philadelphia, formerly of this place, were visiting friends here on Saturday

Mrs. Joe Murray and children spent a couple of days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs John Mushler, of Mechanicsville.

OUR PORTRAIT GALLERY.

WILLIAM H MURPHY.

It is the purpose of the Gazette from time to time to adorn this space with the features of the prominent residents of Bristol and therewith print short biographical sketches of the subjects

This week we have the pleasure of presenting a well known and active young man who is prominently identified with the business interests of this ancient borough

William H Murphy is a genuine southerner, sah, bo'n down in Louisana in the village of Plaquemine, Iberville parish He came north in 1893 to Washington, D C, as the private secretary to Congressman Andrew Price of La Fourche Parish, representing the Third Louisiana district At the expiration of Mr Price's term Mr Murphy came to Bristol, and after remaining here a year returned to Louisana but returned to Bristol in 1897

When the Spanish War broke out Mr Murphy enlisted in the Second Pennsyl-

vania Volunteers Infantry, but the regiment never got any further South than Pennsgrove New Jersey In six months he was mustered out and being anxious to see real service enlisted in the regular army in November 1898 and was sent to the Philippines While there he was on detached service and by reason of his executive ability and business training was made commissary sargeant and was entrusted with the transportation of rations for two corps of artillery and hospitals For two years and three months he was in the field He returned to Bristol Christmas day, 1901

Since that time Mr Murphy has been actively engaged in the management of the Philadelphia, Bristol and Trenton Street Railway Company being assistant superintendent of the line and in full charge of the Bristol Trainford division

Mr Murphy is exceedingly popular with all classes of citizens and has a host of good friends

Bristol Won Last Game.

The Bristol team closed the season on last Sunday defeating the Royersford team with Zanzinger of the Atlantic League, in the box by the score of 4 to 2. Neither pitchers were hit to any extent but Zanzinger was hit at opportune times Poulterer allowed the visitors but three hits Blackburne and Poulterer batted well while J Mulligan Blackburne and Hartley did the best work in the field The score

BRISTOL

	r	h	o	a	e
Blackburne ss	1	2	2	2	0
Kettler 2b	0	0	5	2	0
C Mulligan, c	1	0	6	0	0
Sommers, 1b	0	0	9	2	0
Barton, cf	0	1	1	0	0
Meyers 3b	1	1	1	0	1
J Mulligan, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Coyle, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Poulterer p	1	2	0	8	0
Totals	4	6	27	14	1

ROYERSFORD

	r	h	o	a	e
Miller 1b cf	1	1	2	0	0
Fenton, 2b	1	0	2	2	0
Adams cf	0	0	1	0	0
Massey, 1b	0	0	8	0	0
Ergen, ss	0	1	0	1	0
Belles, 3b	0	0	1	0	0
Weaver, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Hartley, rf	0	0	4	0	0
Beiderman, c	0	0	4	1	1
Zanzinger, p	0	1	2	4	1
Totals	2	8	24	9	2

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Royersford 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—2

Two base hit—Miller Left on bases—Bristol 4, Royersford 1 Sacrifice hit—J Mulligan Struck out by Poulterer, 9 by Zanzinger 1 Umpire, Chester Callahan

Notes By a Fan.

Poulterer had eight assists

Sommers played a good game at first base

Kettler accepted seven chances without an error

Only three hits off Poulterer That's pitching some

Adams played centre field one inning until Massey came

Bristol had six hits Blackburne and Poulterer getting two each

Zanzinger pitched a nice game but Bristol's six hits came at opportune times

Bristol had one error and that gave the visitors a run Myers made that on an easy grounder

Zanzinger had lots of speed and curves He has been pitching in the Atlantic League this season

Kettler fumbled Hartley's grounder in the second inning, but recovered himself in time to catch the runner at first

Blackburne made a nice stop in short left field in the second inning and threw the runner out at first, which was quick work

Hartley played a fine game in right field for the visitors He had four outs, one an excellent one hand catch of Sommer's fly close to the benches in the first inning

J Mulligan kept up his good work in left field by making two nice running catches Jack' has had but one error this season

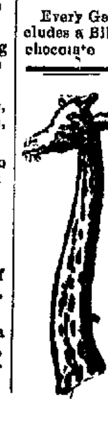
Joe Massey, of the Holyoke, Mass (New England League) team, played first base for the visitors and put up a good game but could do nothing with Poulterer's pitching

Both of Bristol's runs in the seventh were earned Myers made a single and stole second Poulterer made a single to centre, on which Myers scored, Poulterer taking second on the throw home and scored on Blackburne's single to centre

On next Sunday at Persimmon Park the Bristol Knights of Columbus will play the Barry Council, champions of the Knights of Columbus League of Philadelphia O Drain who last year pitched in the Tri State League will twirl for Barry and the Bristol team will have to play hard to win

For the first time in the history of our country the daily papers are giving unlimited space to news telling of the limiting and obliterating of the liquor traffic The latest official statement is that one half of our United States is now under local option or prohibition law, that in this one half the sale of liquor is illegal It may never be possible to stop the manufacture or sale of alcoholic or other stimulants but it is possible to make it difficult, and to eliminate some of the dangers and the temptations The papers of the liquor trade seem to think their business is being hit pretty hard In the language of a famous general, 'Boys, we've got 'em on the run''

Every German soldier's equipment includes a Bible and a half pound cake of chocolate



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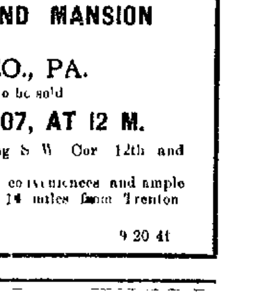

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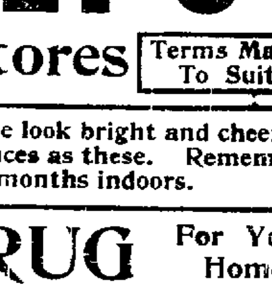
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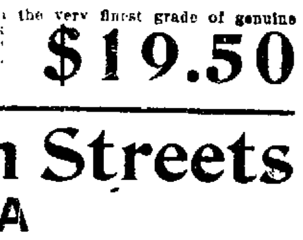
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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Officer Musanff is again on the sick list.

The annual tea of St. Pauls Church on Saturday was a great success. Over three hundred people were present.

Mrs. Robert Clark, Radcliffe street, received first prize at the Trenton fair as having the best sponge cake exhibited.

The Colonial Theatre will be open tomorrow evening and Monday and Wednesday evening of next week for roller skating.

Class No. 12 of the Baptist Sunday school will hold a bread, pie and cake sale at Mr. Valentine's on Saturday, the 19th inst.

Theodore Williams, of Eddy, was fined $4 by a Trenton justice on Monday. He was arrested for being drunk and disorderly on Tucker street.

John McGinley, Jr., of Linden street, and Charles Callahan, of Buckley street, are suffering with Job's comforters. Mr. Callahan has five of them.

Robert Patterson, of Lafayette street, was tendered a post card shower in honor of his birthday on last Friday. He received a card for each year of his age.

There was a beautiful choral service comprising thirty voices morning and evening at St. Pauls Church Sunday. The choral service will hereafter be given the first Sunday in each month.

David Kennedy, of Bristol, while drunk on the streets on Saturday was taken into custody by Officer Sackville and locked up for the night. The next morning he was discharged.

The State Water Supply Commission has approved the application of the Standard Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Company for the construction of a wharf in the Delaware river at Bristol.

Charles H. Smith, of Cedar street, was arrested on a warrant last Thursday, upon affidavit of his wife who alleged she was the victim of assault and battery. The hearing was continued until tonight.

John Kane, a human derelict, was committed to the county jail by 'Squire Kraft last Friday. Kane went into several stores on Mill street begging for money and when refused responded with a torrent of vile language.

Bernard McGee has rented the grocery store of John McCullough on Pine street and will open with a full line of groceries. John Maguire, of Radcliffe street, will occupy the residence vacated by Mr. McGee on Washington street.

On Wednesday of next week the cars on the Bristol-Trenton division of the trolley road will run on an hourly schedule, leaving the Bristol terminal fifteen minutes after the hour. This will be but for one day in order to allow the making of needed repairs to the Croydon power plant.

Jacob M. Winder has purchased from the Laurence Johnson estate the farm in West Bristol township occupied by Thomas Elberson for $9,100. The tract contains 119 acres and contains a stone house and farm buildings. Mr. Johnson paid $14,000 for the place some years ago.

Isaac Freeman and Miss Anna M. Hance were united in marriage at the Bethel A. M. E. Church last evening by the pastor, Rev. Gaines. A reception was held at Mr. Freeman's home after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman are spending their honeymoon in Washington, D. C.

According to a telephone message received yesterday Norman Dugan, of Otter street, is in New York where he went to claim his bride, Miss Lizzie McIntyre, of Jersey City. The sender of the message, a member of the Bristol School Board, says Mr. and Mrs. Dugan will arrive in Bristol Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob M. Winder left on Tuesday for a trip to Kentucky and Indiana. Mr. Winder has several race horses in the two states, at Lexington and Indianapolis and he has gone to take a look at them and also to attend the great race meet at Lexington. Mr. and Mrs. Winder expect to return to Bristol next week.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Bristol Postoffice, October 10, Ella May Pidcock, Willie Howard, Clara Garber, Ida Fisher, James DeVere, Frances Wood, Laura Waldo, Harold Hurst, Rose Allendall, Pasquall Di Lorenzo, Concetta Bruno, Leone Giuseppe, Giovanni Sallustrio, Luigi Mortino, Rita Marabella.

On next Tuesday evening at 7.45 Prof. Francis Green, of the West Chester State Normal School, will lecture at the First Baptist Church, his subject being "Five Peas in a Pod." Prof. Green needs no introduction to Bristol. He has been here a number of times and the simple announcement that he is to lecture here will insure a crowded house.

G. L. Williams, of the firm Peirce & Williams, participated last week in a lumberman's excursion to Niagara Falls and Tonawanda, N. Y. At the latter place the big lumber mills were inspected. One interesting feature was a batch of white pine lumber containing twelve million feet, worth probably four hundred thousand dollars.

On the New York division of the Pennsylvania railroads, the names of the towns along the line have been placed on each end of the various stations, which will be much appreciated by the travelling public. Heretofore the station signs have been placed facing the track and as passengers were whizzed by, it was impossible to read the names of the towns.

During the wind and rain storm which swept over this town on Tuesday morning, the roof of Murphy's storehouse, at the Burlington wharf, was blown clear over one building to another, and a large tree near the end of the wharf was uprooted, and thrown to the ground. The river boat, Bristol, experienced some rough weather up the river and for a time made slow progress.

Charles Louden, who recently created so much disturbance in Bristol and who was deemed to be insane, returned here and was again arrested by Officer Sackville on Sunday and was charged in the hearing before 'Squire Kraft with being a common public nuisance and a disturber of the public peace. In default of $200 bail Louden was committed to jail to await the next term of court.

The first rehearsal of the season of the Bristol Choral Union was held in the lecture room of the First Baptist Church on Monday evening and was largely attended, about fifty singers being present. Thirty more have signified their intention of participating this season. Judging by the interest manifested at the first meeting, it is predicted there will later on be a fine rendition of "Queen Esther." Rehearsals every Monday evening.

The wives, daughters and sisters of the members of No. 2 Fire Company as well as all lady friends of the company who are interested in the supper to be given for the benefit of the company on October 25, are invited to co-operate with those who have volunteered their services. As yet there is insufficient help to make the affair a complete success. Those who wish to help this good cause are invited to be present at the next meeting which the ladies will hold at the new hose house next Wednesday evening, October 16.

It was discovered last Thursday morning that the fire alarm system was out of commission, when the alarm was turned in for the fire on Mill street. Superintendent Chambers promptly went to work and after a two days testing the trouble was found to be in the relay at the residence of Superintendent A. K. Joyce, of the water works, caused in the opinion of Mr. Chambers by the chemical fumes from the local battery corroding wires in the magnets. When this was repaired there was no trouble in operating the system.

At the regular meeting of the Bristol Lodge of Elks last Monday evening, Harry C. Wright was elected treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Wilbur M. Peirce. An order for four thousand dollars was also drawn in favor of the trustees with which to make payment on the property formerly occupied by Dr. Joseph deB. Abbott, corner of Radcliffe and Walnut streets, which will be converted into an Elk's Home. It is contemplated to erect a new building in the year in the spring to provide for lodge and social session rooms, bowling alleys, etc. Eventually the front will be torn down and a handsome structure erected. Eight candidates were initiated on Monday evening.

Pay your dog tax and save the life of your dog.

There was a heavy rain and wind storm on Tuesday morning.

A steel canal boat, the first of its kind is quartered in the canal basin.

Beginning Sunday morning of this week forty hours devotion was observed at St. Marks Church.

William Dever, aged 19 years, died at his late home on Pond street on Sunday of tuberculosis.

Mrs. William Henry Bown left town on Wednesday to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Annie Pennell, of Chester, Pa.

We are indebted to Frank T. Chambers for some fine white clover honey "made in Bristol" by Mr. Chambers' bee colony.

Frank T. Chambers, of Bristol, has been drawn on the jury at the term of the United States Circuit Court, Philadelphia, November 4.

Invitations are out for the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Alva C. Johnson's fifth anniversary of their marriage. The reception will be held at their residence, No. 244 Cedar street, on Tuesday evening, October 15th.

Miss Frances H. Bryan, of Washington, D. C., is seriously ill. She is connected with the Timothy M. Bryan family, some of whom are buried in St. James' Church yard, and is an aunt of Commander B. C. Bryan, U. S. N.

William Henderson, who has just built a handsome stone bungalow at Bloomsdale has presented the Bristol Lodge of Elks with a handsome framed collection of official badges used at the grand reunion of Elks in Philadelphia in July.

The Girls Physical Culture Class, composed of High School graduates will resume its course this winter commencing November 7. Miss Sohetka, of Philadelphia, who was the instructor last year will have charge of the class this year.

As an evidence of the value of a steam road roller to the borough it is only necessary to inspect Mulberry street, which has just been resurfaced. That street is now the model one of the town. Its surface is hard and smooth and symmetrical.

Franklin Gilkeson, Esq., chief of the Bristol Fire department, who returned from Pittsburg on Saturday from the State Firemen's convention has been in Washington, D. C., this week attending a convention of the International Association of Fire Chiefs.

At a meeting of the Police committee of Council, held on Monday evening, Officers Tice and Bloodgood were exonerated in their actions in taking Manus Harkins into custody. Councilman Dougherty had charged that the officers had used undue force in wielding a club on Harkins' head during an arrest.

All of the finishers at the Corona Kid Works quit work yesterday and their places have been filled with Greeks. As near as we can learn, the company imported a lot of Greeks and wished the old workmen to teach the foreigners, which the former refused to do, and quit work as they realized the Greeks would eventually take their places at lower wages. The Greeks are now trying to do the work.

Will Celebrate Golden Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Taylor, of Newtown, will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding on Tuesday of next week. Mrs. Taylor is a sister of the late Thomas L. Leedom, of Bristol.

Pennsy Officials Inspected Road.

General Manager W. W. Atterbury and a large party of Pennsylvania Railroad officials passed through Bristol Tuesday morning on their thirty-fifth annual inspection of the road from Jersey City to Pittsburg.

Captured $600 Prize.

Herbert L. Thomas, of Paoli, brother of Mrs. William G. Buckman, of Bristol, and supervisor of the Philadelphia division of the Pennsylvania railroad, has been awarded a prize of $600 for the best line and surface along the division. The award is made on points covering a period of one year.

Leedom's Horses Won Ribbons.

The brood mare Gene McKinney, exhibited at the Trenton Inter-State Fair, and her two colts, owned by Walter F. Leedom, of Bristol, took two red ribbons and $40 in money. The breeding of Mr. Leedom's stock was the very best, but was not groomed for fair purposes, which probably handicapped him from taking first honors and blue ribbons.

Episcopal Sunday School Offerings.

The Sunday school Lenten Offerings of some of the nearby Episcopal Churches for foreign and domestic missionary work have just been made public, and are as follows:

Andalusia—Church of the Redeemer, $105.00; Bristol—St. Paul's Church, $38.14; Doylestown—St. Paul's Church, $38.48; Eden—St. James' Church, $17.25; Eddington—Christ Church, $6.00; Fallsington—All Saints' Church, $25.78; Newtown—All Saint's Church, $30.00.

Son-in-law of Senator Knox Arrested.

Members of the Hulmeville borough council were in Bristol yesterday morning consulting with the borough's attorney, John C. Stuckert, Esq., relative to forthcoming trials of owners of automobiles who were arrested for violating the borough speed law. The hearing will probably be held in Bristol before 'Squire Kraft. There are about thirty offenders in the list including the son-in-law of United States Senator P. C. Knox.

Livery Horse Stolen.

At about five o'clock Wednesday afternoon a stranger went to the Closson House livery stables and hired a team for the ostensible purpose of driving to Newportville. James Dugan, proprietor of the stables, has not since seen horse, wagon or man. The stranger was dark complexioned and had dark hair and a smooth face. He wore a mixed gray sack suit of clothes, black derby hat and was about 40 years old, five feet, seven inches tall and weighed about 175 pounds. His clothes were somewhat shabby. A liberal reward will be paid for information that will lead to the arrest of the thief.

Wm. Silbert Has Huge Melon.

There are watermelons and watermelons and then some, but of all the Jersey truckers that come to Bristol Jesse Lucas of near Burlington takes the citron. William S. Silbert has on display at his place on Mill street, a watermelon presented to him by Lucas, of Black Spanish variety, that weighs seventy pounds, and it has attracted a great deal of attention. Mr. Lucas has a fifteen acre patch just outside the city limits of Burlington and makes a specialty of raising Cuban Queen, Dixie and Black Spanish watermelons. In order to raise the big ones it is claimed Lucas goes into the field at midnight on the full of the moon and talks to the vines.

Local Church Members Invited.

The executive committee of the Christian Social Union has arranged for a special service in the Church of the Ascension, Broad street, below South Philadelphia, on Sunday, October 13th, at 4.30 p. m., at which the Rev. P. N. Waggett, S. S. J. E., of Oxford, England, will address the members of the Union and their friends. Invitations to this meeting have been sent to the rectors and members of St. James and St. Pauls Churches of Bristol, and it is hoped that there will be a representation from here. The general committee is composed of George G. Bartlett, George Woolsey Hodge and Clinton Rogers Woodruff. A. J. Arkin, is the secretary.

Lift the Lid a Little.

Editor Gazette:—In this week's issue of the "Courier" there is an article in reference to the Police Committee trying to close the stores on Sunday.

The Business Men's Association did not recommend the Police Committee to close anything but a few small grocery and dry goods stores and did not recommend nor want the town closed up tight, and I for one, protest against the action of the Chairman of the Police Committee in trying to shoulder something on the Association that they did not ask for, nor do I think they want it to be done.

JOHN F. WEAR.

The Mohammedans use the lunar years which is 10 days and 21 hours and a few seconds shorter than ours.

The Republic of Panama contains about 20,781,000 acres of land, of which about 76,450 acres are under cultivation.

LID WILL GO DOWN

All Business Houses of Every Character Must Close on Sunday, Except Drug Stores---Milk Men Men Must be Off the Streets at 9 a. m.

The "lid" will be clapped down tight in Bristol on Sunday, hereafter.

The Police committee of council has ordained it and a squad of officers will see that the order is obeyed.

Cigar stores, barber shops, boot black stands, the news agency, and the stores of every character that have heretofore been transacting business on the Sabbath must close tight hereafter or suffer the consequences.

The only exception to the rule will be in the case of drug stores which will be permitted to dispense necessary drugs. These stores, however, will not be allowed, under penalty, to sell cigars, soda water, or any side line carried in stock.

The order also requires that milk men and ice men must be off the borough streets at nine o'clock in the morning.

The Business Men's Association of Bristol, by resolution, directed the attention of the police committee to violations of the Sunday closing laws and asked that the dry goods and grocery stores that were being kept open on Sundays be forced to close. The Association's intention was evidently to compel Jews and Italians to cease business on Sunday as dealers of those nationalities are the only ones conducting dry goods and grocery stores who do a Sunday business.

The Police committee held a meeting on Monday evening and acted favorably upon the Business Men's Association recommendation. The committee also decided that it would make no discriminations and reached the conclusion that if the "blue" laws are to be enforced they will be enforced in a spirit of a "square deal."

In an interview with a Gazette representative Chairman Buckley, of the Police committee, said that he was heartily in favor of a Sunday closing movement, but that he nor the committee did not believe in "playing favorites," that the law was designed to be general and with aid of the police force it was the intention to see that the mandates of the statutes are obeyed. He declared there was no more justice in allowing a stationery store to remain open to transact business for profit making than an establishment that sold food products.

The officers will make tours of the town on Sunday morning and in cases of all places of business found opened for business except drug stores, the responsible parties will be arrested.

When seen by the Gazette man Mr. Buckley was about to have a conference with the borough attorney to learn whether the delivery of newspapers on Sunday was permitted by law.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

ST. JAMES.

The choir of St. James Church held a reception in the parish hall on Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served at the close of an interesting address by the rector.

At a largely attended meeting of St. James League, held in the parish hall on Monday evening, it was decided to hold an apron bazaar in the hall during the week of November 11th to 16th inclusive.

Services in St. James Church next Sunday at 7.30 and 10.30 a. m., 2.30 and 7.30 p. m. Preaching by the rector.

METHODIST.

Next Sunday the pastor, Rev. D. Must Gordon, will preach morning and evening. Time of service 10.30 a. m., and 7.45 p. m.

The sewing school which meets on Saturday afternoons at 3 o'clock, is well equipped to teach sewing of all kinds and embroidery.

The Epworth League cabinet meeting was held on last Saturday evening and the reports from all departments were very encouraging, showing that the League is in good condition.

The reading room is open on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Now literature is being added every week. The rooms are now well supplied with books and papers, suited to all classes.

BAPTIST.

At the morning service at 11.00 at the First Baptist Church of Bristol, Rev. George Young, of Philadelphia, will occupy the pulpit.

In the evening at 7.45 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. Johnston, will preach his second sermon to men entitled "Men and Society."

Sunday school at 2.00 o'clock instead of 2.30.

At the men's meeting at 4.00 o'clock Rev. Charles Kteell, D. D., of Trenton, will make the address and the McDade Brothers, of Philadelphia, who were so highly appreciated here last season, will sing.

Young People's meeting at 6.30 p. m.

BETHEL A. M. E.

Wood street, below Mulberry; P. P. Gaines, Pastor.

Preaching Sunday at 10.30 a. m., and at 8 p. m., with subject, "Voice to Moral Sleepers." School at 2 p. m.

A Visit to the Upper End.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vorhis, of Bristol, enjoyed a very pleasant trip to Doylestown, Danboro and Erwinna last week, calling on and visiting relatives and friends. They were also treated to a drive and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. William Hall, of Danboro, to Upper Tinicum Lutheran Church last Sunday morning of which Mrs. Vorhis is a member.

Will Hunt in Fulton County.

A party of Bristol sportsmen have arranged to make a trip to Fulton county next month to gun for birds and hunt the streams for terrapin. Fulton is one of the smallest and is also the only county in the State in which there is not a rail road, but its mountainous region abounds with game. The party will make its headquarters at McConnellsburg and will leave here on Sunday, November 3. The ones who will go on the jaunt are: Councilman Calvin Kelly, George L. Hurn, George Braden and Samuel Fenton.

Edwards Will Answer Charges.

Mayor Reyburn sent for Oil Inspector Edwards on Wednesday and held a long conference with him. At its conclusion the Mayor declared that he had not requested Edwards' resignation, and was awaiting a statement which the oil inspector had promised to prepare.

"I never said that I had asked for Edwards' resignation," said the Mayor, "and I don't know whether I will or not. There have been some charges made against Edwards. I showed them to him and he is to make a defense. The truth is that I have been trying to bring about a better understanding so that Edwards can stay. It would be unfair to tell what the charges are until after he has sent me his statement."

New Trust Co. Affairs.

At the weekly meeting of the board of directors of the Bristol Trust Company held at the Algonquin Club on Wednesday evening a contract was authorized to be made with the Mosler Safe Company, of New York, to build the vault and install a safe of the latest improved design with burglar proof electric attachments.

H. H. H. Poole, of Bristol, was selected among other applicants to be bookkeeper in the new institution.

The following executive committee was chosen: Clifford L. Anderson, William C. Peirce, Howard I. James, Esq., E. W. Minster, H. H. Headley, Harry J. Arnold and W. Harry Smith.

SEPTEMBER DEATHS AND BIRTHS.

The following is a list of deaths and births in Bristol borough during the month of September:

September 7, Teresa Brelsford, 4 mos.
September 8, Philip Dombrello, 26 days.
September 10, Blanche Rooks, 6 mos.
September 14, Andrew T. Turnbull, 1 year.
September 16, Sarah J. Terry, 77 years.
September 24, Lawrey Latella, 8 mos.
September 25, Charles Nemo, 12 days.
September 20, Elizabeth C. Burns, 14 years.
September 28, John B. Rogers, 1 year.
September 25, Mary A. Nelson, 40 years.
September 28, Dion Crowley, 1 year.

Of the eleven deaths in the borough during the month, eight were infants.

BIRTHS.

The births during September in the borough were as follows:

September 1—Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harris, daughter.
September 4—Mr. and Mrs. John Hilgendorff, daughter.
September 8—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clare, Jr., twins, son and daughter.
September 10—Rev. and Mrs. J. Kennedy Moorhouse, son.
September 12—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob S. Brady, son.
September 12—Mr. and Mrs. David Green, son.
September 18—Mr. and Mrs. David O. Taylor, daughter.
September 14—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Larrisey, son.
September 21—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goldstein, (sex not given in certificate).
September 21—Mr. and Mrs. Emil Erthal, daughter.
September 21—Mr. and Mrs. William E. Roberts, son.
September 27—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Roche, daughter.

Convocation Will Meet at Hulmeville.

The Convocation of Germantown will meet at Grace Episcopal Church, Hulmeville on next Tuesday, October 15. At eleven a. m., celebration of the Holy Communion; sermon by the Rev. Stewart P. Keeling, rector of St. Peter's Church, Germantown.

Luncheon will be served at one o'clock. At 2.30, business meeting. Supper at 5.30 and missionary service at 7.30. Addresses by the Rev. George Gunnell and the Rev. Jules L. Prevost.

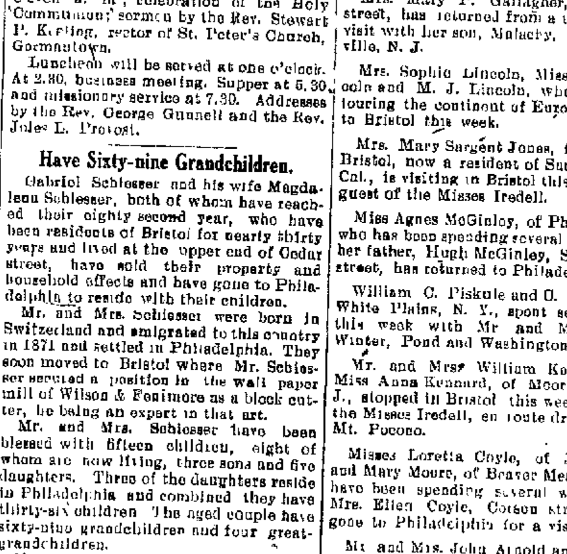
Have Sixty-nine Grandchildren.

Gabriel Schlesser and his wife Magdalena Schlesser, both of whom have reached their eighty second year, who have been residents of Bristol for nearly thirty years and lived at the upper end of Cedar street, have sold their property and household effects and have gone to Philadelphia to reside with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlesser were born in Switzerland and emigrated to this country in 1871 and settled in Philadelphia. They soon moved to Bristol where Mr. Schlesser secured a position in the wall paper mill of Wilson & Fenimore as a block cutter, he being an expert in that art.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlesser have been blessed with fifteen children, eight of whom are now living, three sons and five daughters. Three of the daughters reside in Philadelphia and combined they have thirty-six children. The aged couple have sixty-nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlesser were married when they were nineteen years old, and next month, November 5th, will celebrate their sixty-second wedding anniversary.



MR. AND MRS. GABRIEL SCHEISSER.

MISCELLANEOUS OCTOBER COURT

Opinions Refusing New Trial in Damage Suits Against Corporations.

The regular October Miscellaneous Court session was held on Monday morning, Judge Mahlon H. Stout presiding.

DECREES OF ADOPTION.

Decrees were awarded for the adoption of Thurza Emily Street, minor child of Ellen Street, widow of John Street, by Harry B. and his wife, Sarah Ann Tomlinson; Elsie Boswell, illegitimate child of Rhoda Elizabeth Boswell, by William Lewitt and his wife Julia Lewitt.

OPINIONS OF THE COURT.

In the matter of Simon R. Taylor, who claimed $352.29 board in the estate of Sarah Ann Lear, the Court ordered the exceptions to the auditor's report sustained, and the said sum, being the balance for distribution, to be paid.

In the case of Elizabeth H. Powell vs. the Philadelphia & Reading Company the motion for a new trial and for judgment for defendant on obstante veredicto upon the whole record were both overruled, and judgment was directed to be entered upon the verdict.

In the case of David S. Fetter vs. Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company the motion for a new trial was dismissed and judgment directed to be entered in favor of the defendant.

In the case of Walter F. Leedom vs. Philadelphia, Bristol & Trenton Street Railway Company for damages for the death of Hilborn Leedom, the motion to strike off compulsory non suit was dismissed.

In the case of Peter J. Costigan et al. vs. the Philadelphia, Bristol & Trenton Street Railway Company the demurrer was sustained and leave was given plaintiff to file amended statement in conformity with the Court's opinion.

HOTEL LICENSE TRANSFERRED.

The license of the Eagle Hotel, Quakertown, was transferred from James F. Bahl to William B. Benner.

LUNACY COMMISSION.

Dr. Alfred E. Fretz, Harry E. Grim, Esq., and Charles B. Althouse were appointed a commission in lunacy to inquire into the mental condition of Levi F. Heffentrager, of Perkasie.

Horse Fell and Was Killed.

The valuable sorrel horse belonging to the Childs' Dorrance street store met with a peculiar accident last Friday noon which resulted in instant death to the animal. The horse was standing in front of a house on Garden street, while the driver, John Rafferty, went inside to deliver an order of groceries. The horse started to walk on as the driver came from the house and when near the junction of Washington street, Steel's mill whistle blew for the noon hour and the horse became frightened and ran away. As it turned to go upon Washington street swinging bridge the animal stumbled and fell. The point of the shafts entered the horse's neck on the right side and penetrated so far that the end came out the left eye. Death was instant. The employes of the store, especially Manager Clarence Young, keenly feel the death of the horse as it was a general pet. It was high spirited and a good traveller, but also kind and gentle.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss M. B. Danfield, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. John T. Thorn.

Mrs. Albert M. Pepper has returned to Easton after a visit with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. L. T. Perchon, of New Brunswick, is visiting Mrs. Thomas Marinor, Washington street.

Mrs. Ida Howard, of Boston, is spending a fortnight with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford L. Anderson.

Miss Anna Armstrong, of Franklin, Pa., is spending some time with Warren G. Armstrong.

Miss Catherine McIlvaine has returned from a visit with friends in Manayunk and Conshohocken.

Miss Florence Lenhart, of Doylestown, is spending a week with Miss Sadie Buckley, of Lafayette street.

Mrs. William Musnuff, of Tacony, was visiting her mother, Mrs. David Warner, of Lafayette street, on Tuesday.

Joseph R. Grundy, who has been absent in Europe for about two months, returned to Bristol on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Stackhouse, of Philadelphia, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Sarah Pearson, of Lafayette street.

Mrs. Lawrence Allibone and Miss Kate Phillips, of Sunbury, Pa., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Burnett Landreth.

John Gallagher has returned to Mauch Chunk after spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Frank Croughan, Pine street.

Mrs. John Jeffery and daughter, Grace, of Market street, has returned from a visit with the former's parents at Milton, Pa.

Mrs. Jennie Girth, of Morrisville, spent a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. Hannah Patterson, on Lafayette street.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donnell and daughter, of Chestnut Hill, are spending this week with Miss Mary Herron, on Pine street.

Mrs. Mary P. Gallagher, of Spruce street, has returned from a three weeks' visit with her son, Malachy, in Lumbertville, N. J.

Mrs. Sophie Lincoln, Miss Lillie Lincoln and M. J. Lincoln, who have been touring the continent of Europe returned to Bristol this week.

Mrs. Mary Sargent Jones, formerly of Bristol, now a resident of San Francisco, Cal., is visiting in Bristol this week, the guest of the Misses Iredell.

Miss Agnes McGinley, of Philadelphia, who has been spending several weeks with her father, Hugh McGinley, Sr., on Pine street, has returned to Philadelphia.

William C. Piskule and O. Danner, of White Plains, N. Y., spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Winter, Pond and Washington streets.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kennard and Miss Anna Kennard, of Moorestown, N. J., stopped in Bristol this week to visit the Misses Iredell, en route driving from Mt. Pocono.

Misses Loretta Coyle, of Jeanesville and Mary Moore, of Beaver Meadow, who have been spending several weeks with Mrs. Ellen Coyle, Corson street, have gone to Philadelphia for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Bark, of Ridley Park; Mr. and Mrs. William Carter and Mr. Shields, of Fox Chase and Mrs. David Catanach, of Roxborough, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williamson on Sunday.

Caleb T. Headley in Colorado.

Walter F. Leedom has received a letter from Caleb T. Headley, of Newportville, who is now located in Colorado.

Mr. Headley left Bristol on September 21st, in very poor health and arrived at the mountain ranch of A. L. Wilson, located near Gunnison, Col., at noon on the 24th, very much fatigued. Mr. Headley writes that his health has improved and expects in a few months to be well again. He had to decline an invitation to go on a deer hunt, fearing he would be unable to withstand the hardship. Back of the camp where he is located is the Gunnison river which is teeming with brook, rainbow and mountain trout. He says that "Len goes out in the evening and in a few minutes catches enough trout for all next day, some of them weighing from six to ten pounds." Headley further writes:

"Last Friday was cattlemen's day at Gunnison and about 1500 appeared early in the morning for different sports. Starting up Main street, with all horses under lash, various feats were performed. The street is 150 feet wide. Finally two wild steers were turned loose in a lot then lassoed and bound tight and saddles strapped on them. Prizes were given to the riders who could stick to the steer's back the longest. I felt badly but I stayed all day. They were thoroughbred cow boys and cattle punchers.

"Cattle raising is a wonderful industry out here. The finest cattle I ever saw are raised here. Gold mining is another great industry. The finest horses in the United States are raised in this country and lots of them. Farms sell well, a good 100-acre farm being worth $10,000. Oats grow as high as our rye; is fine in quality and sells for more money than it does in the east.

"This country is now and has been for several years in a very prosperous condition. I wish I had come out here twenty years ago. If I can regain my health as Len Wilson has done, I will stay here. Wilson left Bristol many years ago in poor health which he has fully regained. Many Bucks county friends have visited Wilson while on their travels. Mr. and Mrs. George Shoemaker, Duane Joyce, Samuel Groff and others from Bristol have stopped off to see him.

Temperance Union Flower Mission.

The Flower Mission department of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union desires to thank all who so kindly and generously responded to the request for jellies and preserves. The contributions numbered ninety-six, including a basket of fresh fruit. These were sent to the Flower, Fruit and Ice Mission and Friend's Neighborhood Guild in Philadelphia and both missions have very gratefully acknowledged the donations telling of the grand help they will be to them in their work among the sick poor.

Surely the Union has reasons to feel greatly encouraged at the close of this, its first season with the Flower Mission work. Besides the fruit referred to, over four thousand bouquets were sent to the Philadelphia missions during the summer. To those who contributed these flowers, especially to the children who gathered many of them and in other ways helped in the work, the thanks of the Union are also due. E. M.

London has 189,000 Jews.

Leather from old shoes is now ground up and mixed with a rubber solution and made into a rubber substitute.

A Berlin Scientist has made 70,000 examinations to get to the conclusion that woman's brain is undoubtedly smaller than man's.

RANDOM REFLECTIONS.

Bristol is not one whit behind some other towns in its ability to criticise itself, its people, or the whole universe. Everybody criticises everything nowadays.

Even the Gazette takes a hand now and then. Possibly we may not all possess the faculty, but certainly we all have the habit. School children criticise their teachers and the teachers criticise them. Church members criticise their pastors and their pastors criticise them. Citizens criticise their public officials and the public officials criticise them. And so it goes. You hear criticism on the street, in the houses, in the cigar stores, in the clubs, in the hotels, in the lodge rooms, in the churches—everywhere in fact.

It is an age of criticism. We find it everywhere in literature, in science, in philosophy, in religion, in everything. It is the spirit of the age, and the spirit of the age grows out of the spirit of former ages, either by direct development or by reaction.

How has it come about? Largely because in these days all men have opinions. And this tendency to criticise is strengthened tremendously by the extent of material ready in our thoughts. But notwithstanding the good that oftentimes results from just criticism the general practice of it is a detriment to the community.

It enters our homes and jars upon their harmony. It steals into our churches and drives out the spirit of devotion. It goes from children to parents and from parents to children, and lo! the children rebel against the wise admonitions and instructions of their teachers. It finds a place among the members of our secret orders and public clubs and then there is bitterness of feeling and es[illegible].

The remedy is to be found in the individual. We should endeavor to persuade criticism into a quieter spirit—to train our minds to a condition that "thinketh no evil" of its neighbors.

Some of our citizens have a poor opinion of some of the work done on our streets, our houses, our fences, etc., and they have a right to that opinion. But when that opinion is supported by poor workmanship, it is a sad comment on the ability of some of our mechanics and workmen to do a good job. We are very careful, however to use the word "some," for we do not mean all our mechanics, nor all our workmen. There are skilled men in all the trades represented in Bristol, and a little judicious discernment on the part of those who need such men, will soon bring them to the light. But, let us remember that such men cannot be induced to work at reduced wages. They demand a fair price for a fair day's labor, and they are worthy of their hire. If it is our aim to get a job done in a slovenly manner, we can readily find men who will satisfy our requirements, but if we really want a finished piece of work, we must pay for it. It is the same old story, we cannot get something for nothing.

Ours is an age of citizenship, and our newspapers are doing a great work in their efforts to stimulate men and women to think and talk freely about subjects pertaining to civil government. This is especially true of the Gazette. Scarcely a week goes by without some remark, some editorial, some article of an ethical or civil nature appearing in its columns—and this is as it should be. It is a wise policy, and will be continued in the future as in the past.

There is such a thing as civil government, notwithstanding, much that has been said to the contrary by men and women, who are bent upon its destruction. Just as soon as a child is born in this town, or elsewhere, he comes under the government of the borough, the State and the national government. He is taught to obey his parents, his guardians or those placed over him. If he refuses to obey such authority he is punished. His parents are responsible for his good or bad conduct at home or abroad. We call this the government of the family.

Then we have the government of educational life. The boy is old enough to go to school and he finds a teacher at the head of the school. He finds certain rules for the school room, in the play yard and the lesson periods. He must obey them or be punished. No school can exist without them. There must be order, attention, obedience to the requirements of the school officials. Anything else is disorder, disobedience, destruction of all right, true and lawful government. We call this the government of the school.

Then the boy goes out among men. He enters the social circle. He joins a club. Everywhere he will find government. There are presidents, secretaries, treasurers, directors, etc. There are constitutions and by-laws and rules of order and general regulations everywhere. Even the anarchists, admittedly inconsistent as they are, have all these officers and prescribed forms. There must be such things or society would disintegrate and fall back into a savage state. Hence, need for the teaching the boy the absolute necessity of such laws, rules and regulations. But, when he goes out into the world, as we say, he will find that all men do not recognize the necessity of government—government by rule and regulation—in the state, in the country, in the nation. And, yet, a good government without laws, rules and regulations is absolutely impossible. From time to time he will read of anarchists—men who know nothing in government but the knife and nitro-glycerine—men whose creed is, no God, no government. It was under the teaching of such men that the lamented Lincoln went down and Garfield went down and McKinley went down. Such men make the holding of property a crime. They would make a complete and eternal wreck of this government and every other. They would destroy the ballot-box, and the legislative hall and the congressional assembly. They would put the torch to every church and cathedral and school and college in the land. There are such people. There are probably 80,000 of them in New York City and 10,000 of them in Chicago. There are many in every city, and throughout the land. Instead of altars, they would have skulls; instead of music they would have the groans of their victims. But all loyal citizens—the boy who goes to school among the rest—must counteract the influence of such people by standing out against all odds, for law and order and good government. Duty and righteousness should be our watch word—the law of God our guide. The true glory of our country lies, not in war and its devastation, but in peace and the suppression of crime. The great wealth of our nation is not its gold mines and its 5th avenues, but its men and women of strength of righteous character. The true freedom of this nation lies, not in anarchic riot, but in the bonds of a moral obedience to the laws of the civil government.

PETER PAN.

Harman to be at Quakertown.

In an effort to arouse the lethargy of the Democratic voters in the upper end of the county, which is a strongly Democratic region, Chairman Long, of the County Committee, has arranged for a mass meeting at Quakertown, on next Thursday evening, October 17. Three bands will be used to drum up a crowd and Hon. John G. Harman, the Democratic candidate for State Treasurer, will be the principal speaker. William H. Berry will also make an address. This will be Mr. Harman's only visit to Bucks county.

Doylestown Hotel Sold.

Hugh Thompson, landlord of the Railroad House, Doylestown, has sold the stock, good will, fixtures and furniture of the hotel to Oliver B. Rotzel, of Germantown, at private figures. The change in landlords will take place, it is understood, as soon as the license can be transferred.

The building which is owned by William M. McAvoy, of Willow Grove, was included in the sale.

Mr. Rotzel is an experienced hotel man and comes from a well known Montgomery county family. He was formerly proprietor of the Flourtown Hotel, but lately has been associated with his brother in the management of the White Swan Hotel, Germantown.

Mr. Thompson, who retires, purchased the Railroad House from William Neis, the Democratic candidate for county treasurer, in 1904, and has since been its proprietor. He has not made any business plans for the future.

Cholera has not been epidemic in Europe since 1860, when it appeared in both London and Liverpool.

The telephone has not reached the point of domestic convenience in France. It is but little used by the public generally.

There are 270 active volcanoes in the world.

Concerning "Georgia's Hypocrisy."

To the Editor of the highly esteemed "Bucks County Gazette."

Gentlemen:—

I think it was Providence and not "chance" that caused us just now to pick up the Gazette, when our eye was instantly arrested by the caption "Georgia and Her Hypocrisy." We had recently re-read the glowing, but truthful account of the scene in the House of Representatives, on Tuesday night, July 30th, 1907, at exactly 7.58 o'clock, when the final vote banishing saloons from the State of Georgia was taken and beneath the dome of the Capitol rang out the hymn, "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow."

The scene that followed can never be described. Strong men wept. Women who had prayed and dreamed, and worked for a quarter of a century, rejoiced. The telegraph wires flashed the news all over the State and the rejoicing of the people has never been equalled since Georgia was settled or the nation was born. There was no hypocrisy in this, resultant good; it was the logical outgrowth of years of teaching and observation.

In the United States today we find every child protected from the liquor habit by instruction as to its effects on brain and body in every State and territory in the Nation.

An industrial awakening has placed the almighty dollar by the side of the Temperance reform. No railway, telegraph, telephone, bank or factory management is longer willing to entrust the management of costly equipment, or the safety of hundreds of lives to brains that are dulled, or nerves which are shattered by indulgence to drink.

As our friend holds up the lean man of Maine for our sympathetic consideration we wonder if he knows that when the prohibition law was adopted in Maine in 1855, it was in the opinion of its Governor—"One of the most drunken and poorest States in the Union, there being seven distilleries and two breweries in Portland alone." The latest figures show that Maine now has more saving banks and $22,000,000 more money deposited in them than the great manufacturing license State of Ohio with six times as many people.

Maine has the largest percentage of the total population in the public schools of any one of the North Atlantic States including New York. Maine, without one dollar of revenue from the saloon, has more school teachers to every ten thousand of her people, and more teachers in proportion to her school population than any other of the forty-five States.

The Bible teaches temperance from one cover to the other, and Holy communion can be observed with the pure juice from the vine. Add to this the fact that a large per cent. of the best physicians do not use liquor in their prescriptions, on account of its harmful after effects, and it will be readily seen that the people of Georgia will be far richer in ten years under prohibition, and more prosperous and happy than they are today. Does this friend know that over one half of the Nation has adopted prohibition law? Including four whole States, Maine, North Dakota, Kansas and Georgia, from one-half to eleven-twelfths of seventeen other States and large sections of at least sixteen of the remaining twenty-four. There are millions of abstainers today, both from moral, industrial and common sense reasons, where there were only thousands two generations ago.

MARGARET A. LOWNES.
Press Supt., Co. W. C. T. U.

Around the World With Taft.

The North American has recently shown that enterprise in news gathering is a paying investment. When it was announced that Secretary of War Taft was to make a trip around the world The North American at once realized that this journey must be of the greatest international import, and might mean the readjustment of national friendships and the smoothing over of international differences.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of ANNA M. VAN HART, deceased.

THE undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Bucks County to make distribution of the funds in the hands of Howard I. James, Esq., Executor of the last will and testament of Anna M. Van Hart, late of Falls Township, Bucks County, will meet all persons interested at the office of Gilkeson & James, Esqs., Bristol, Pa., Wednesday, October 30th, at 10 o'clock A. M. JOHN L. DuBOIS, Auditor.
10-11-3t

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF BUCKS COUNTY.

THE undersigned Auditor appointed by said court to make distribution of the sum $5827 26, being the balance remaining in said court realized upon a certain writ of alias levari facias sur mortgage issued out of said court to No. 4, May term, 1907, by the City of Penn Savings Fund and Loan Association of Philadelphia vs. William A. Vandegrift, Mortgagor, and William J. Flynn and Georgianna A. Vandegrift, real owners of the land charged, and George Vandegrift, tenant in possession, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, hereby gives notice that he will hold a meeting for the purpose of discharging the duties devolved upon him by his appointment, at the office of Gilkeson & James, in the borough of Bristol, Pa., on Friday, October 18, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties in interest may attend if they so proper.
HOWARD I. JAMES,
9-27-3t Auditor.

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Estate Notice.

Estate of THOMAS A. MUSCHERT, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks County, Pa., deceased.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make settlement, and those having legal claims will present them without delay, in proper form for settlement to CAROLINE C. MUSCHERT, Administratrix.
John C. Stuckert, Attorney. 8-30-6t

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Elizabeth J. Henry, late of the township of Bensalem, Deceased.

THE Undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphan's Court of Bucks County to pass upon exceptions and make distribution of the fund remaining in the hands of Louis B. Henry, executor of said estate HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that he will meet all persons interested in said distribution at his office in the Borough of Doylestown on Tuesday, the twenty-ninth day of October, 1907, at 3 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of attending to the duties of his appointment, when and where they may attend if they see proper.
HARRY J. SHOEMAKER,
10-4-3t Auditor.

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A Business Visit.

By ALICE LOUISE LEE.

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IF thirty-five years of unmarried life entitle a woman to the sobriquet of "old maid," Elizabeth Fairchild could read her title clear, but of those other attributes supposed to mark an advanced state of sing e blessedness she possessed none

She was sunny of disposition and met life with the optimism of girlhood. Within her bubbled a living spring of contentment which filled her deep eyes with happiness and made the smiles play about her lips as she worked in her little studio or wandered among the fields and woods back of High lands

By the little country town—where marriage was considered the early duty of the individual—she was regarded with great curiosity, and many were the speculations rife as to her probable "chances" during those years, when, as art student and teacher, she had been absent from home.

Being keenly aware of the attitude of her fellow citizens, her heart sank when a letter from Stanley Callaman briefly and abruptly announced that he would arrive at the Highlands the evening of Sept. 8, in order to discuss with her new designs for some decorated china he had ordered

There was no hotel in the village, and she realized the painfulness of entertaining any man who was single and advanced in age without range of the eyes of Mrs Bissell watching behind her blinds twenty feet from the east porch; of Mrs. Cavendish, twenty feet from the west bay window; of Mrs. Nash, just across the way, and of Lem Brown, the self constituted village wit, traveling past the front porch.

"Why, mother," exclaimed Elizabeth, half laughing, half frowning, "Highlands will have me engaged to him within an hour after his arrival!"

"What do you care," retorted Mrs. Fairchild, who was white haired, but fun loving still. "I'd like to see Lem Brown get his deserts for once."

"The probabilities are," Elizabeth told herself cheerily as she set her little studio in order the afternoon of the eighth, "that Mr. Callaman will see nothing and hear nothing which will betray the Highlands' matrimonial sentiments, and I can certainly endure the post comments for the sake of orders."

Whereupon she sang gayly and donned a becoming white dress and stylish black hat without at all realizing what a trim and attractive china decorator Mr. Callaman was destined to meet at the little country station.

Her acquaintance with him was brief and confined to an exchange of letters on the subject of painted china. A mutual acquaintance had induced him to give her the first orders—the succeeding orders were given voluntarily and were oddly extensive for a bachelor.

The train was just pulling in when she arrived at the station, and the first unwelcome sight which met her eyes was Lem Brown, lounging on the platform, hands in pockets, his voice soaring above the clanking of the wheels.

THE FIRST UNWELCOME SIGHT WAS LEM BROWN.

Presently his voice ceased, and its owner stared hard at a man with a suit case swinging himself down from the rear car, the sole passenger for the Highlands.

It was Stanley Callaman. Elizabeth recognized him by the description given her by their mutual friend—hair touched with gray, blue gray eyes and thin lips, which looked—this she noticed with shrinking—as though they could curl sarcastically, and shoulders broad enough to assist Atlas at his task with the world.

As she moved forward and extended her hand to the stranger Lem Brown's eyes bulged in his fleshy face But when the two walked off together his feelings found vent in one audible, "Wonder of wonders—Lizzie Fairchild's got a beau!"

Elizabeth's cheeks flamed with mortification, and involuntarily the cordiality of the hostess was swallowed up in the conscious restraint of the woman, nor did she see at the corners of her guest's lips the lurking evidence that he understood the situation.

When they reached the Fairchild house she found a caller on the porch. The minister was there, an elderly and benevolent man who had fulfilled his duty to humanity by giving six daughters in marriage at tender ages. To him Elizabeth's state of single blessedness had long been a source of perplexity. Therefore when he saw her approach with a stranger, evidently a gentleman of proper age and dignity, his face shone with that peculiar indulgent, reminiscent expression with which age greets lovers.

Elizabeth recognized the look and swept up the steps and into the hall without pausing. With more haste than ease she dispatched Callaman to his room on the second floor, then turned and faced the minister, who had arisen and followed her, his little clerical joke all ready.

"Good evening, Miss Elizabeth," he said in a loud stage whisper intended to penetrate to the upper chamber. "I see by the signs that the preacher's services will be required later. Ha, ha!" With that he ambled down the steps.

Even Mrs. Fairchild, rocking on the porch, was vexed. "Land!" she exclaimed indignantly. "I hope that Boston man won't think you're being thrown at his head!"

Elizabeth made no reply as she departed to light up her studio, but her lips were pressed together, a red spot dyeing each cheek, and when Callaman entered the room a few moments later he was confronted by a formidable array of designs and by a woman bent on discussing business and business only

Stubbornly, but unsuccessfully, he rebelled. In vain he directed the conversation lovingly to the moon lighted porch—would he like the prevailing tints of the autumn leaves on the tea set red or yellow? His mind and speech wandered to a country drive in the evening light, but his scarlet lipped hostess moving amid her work tall and straight, charming and inexorable, firmly interrupted—did he care for a continuous or broken design around the platter?

The task was not an easy one that Elizabeth had set for herself, and it was a weary head that she laid on her pillow that night "I hope it rains tomorrow," was her last thought, "so that I may keep him in the studio and out of the reach of remarks" But fortune seemed at odds with her, for the morning dawned faultlessly clear.

After breakfast, when she would have led the way to the studio, Callaman ignored her lead and with, "What a glorious out of doors this place possesses," stepped out on the side porch. With a contraction of the heart Elizabeth followed and sat down facing the battery of Mrs. Bissell's green blinds, the slats of which were immediately moved gently to permit of reconnoissance of Mrs. Bissell's eyes

With gentle firmness Elizabeth began again on the subject of painted china. "Mrs Bissell shall be enlightened as to my visitor's mission," she told herself and slightly raised her clear voice that it might penetrate the green blinds.

Callaman's eyes smothered a laugh, and his lips twitched in a way which threatened an open rebellion against china, but Elizabeth did not notice She was talking against time as recorded by the sitting room clock, a view of which her position commanded. And could wishes hasten time, the hands on that clock would have raced forward to train time—11 o'clock.

At 9:30 she heard Mrs. Bissell leave her house by way of the front door. "The worst is now over," she assured herself and drew a long breath of relief—premature relief she discovered the next moment when distant puffings and blowings announced that Mrs Cavendish was laboring up the back steps for her morning call in the kitchen, and Elizabeth became apprehensive of conversational developments in that direction

Her apprehensions were almost immediately justified as Mrs. Cavendish's asthmatic utterances were wafted through the vine draped kitchen window. "Dew tell! A man!" Then to Mrs Fairchild in remonstrating accents "Ann, you can't fool me on no chiny paintin'. He's here after Lizzie!"

Elizabeth felt the laughter in Callaman's eyes—her own were downcast and smarting—but she talked on bravely, unmindful of the fact that she had asked three times concerning the decorations of a chocolate pot her guest had purchased as a wedding gift. But when a few moments later she arose, announcing it was time to start for the station, and he, surreptitiously examining his watch, found it lacked an hour of train time, his lips tightened and his eyes sobered.

As they emerged from the house the Highlands almost to a man gave them a mute reception. The postmaster, barber, butcher, blacksmith and merchant promptly, as though notified by wireless telegraphy, appeared at the doors of their respective establishments and frankly stared The women, more discreet, peered from behind their curtains.

Callaman had some difficulty in accommodating his pace to Elizabeth's flying footsteps as she hurried up the street and turned into the pleasant, shady retreat afforded by the bicycle path, which was a short cut to the station Here she still forged ahead, silent, having reached a state where the anguish of mortification had deprived her of the power of speech

Suddenly Callaman stopped short beside a big rock overlooking the station and plumped his suit case down "Miss Fairchild," he began vigorously, "I protest"

Elizabeth relaxed her speed. She turned and looked back in surprise Callaman had deliberately seated himself on the rock, pushed his hat on the back of his head and was mopping his face. The lines about his mouth were conspicuously firm as he snapped open his watch

"It's now only 10:15 That train isn't due for three quarters of an hour, and here we are so near the station that I could throw my baggage down on the platform. I feel like throwing it, what's more!" he added, glancing up with amusement simmering in the puckers about the corners of his eyes. "Now I intend to sit right here and protest against your treatment of me."

"My treatment of you!" repeated Elizabeth faintly, shivering and flushing at the recollection of the past few hours.

Callaman considerately occupied himself with brushing the rock beside him.

"MISS FAIRCHILD," HE BEGAN VIGOROUSLY, "I PROTEST!"

"You better sit down here," he remarked calmly, leaning back easily against a tree trunk, "because I have no intention of allowing you to dispose of me as you intended to"

Elizabeth sat down in confusion. "I didn't intend to—to dispose of you," she stammered, with downcast eyes, which confessed her guilt.

"Oh, yes, you did! You intended to take me down to that station at express speed and leave me there. Yes, you did"—in answer to a slight shake of her head. "You had the plot all laid and was carrying it out at the rate of half a mile a minute!"

There was an instant's silence, during which Elizabeth, leaning over her side of the rock, examined some moss attentively. Suddenly her shoulders began to shake. The ludicrousness of the situation was taking possession of her. A faint sound of laughter reached the tree trunk. It acted like a spark in a powder magazine, and with a burst all the laughter which Callaman had been repressing rang forth.

They laughed until the tears came. Then they wiped their eyes, looked at each other and laughed again. Elizabeth felt that the cobwebs had been swept away from her eyes, and she could look at her guest for the first time in an open, friendly fashion.

"I wanted to tell you down at the station last night not to mind," Callaman begun, "but I didn't dare." I'm sorry to be the cause of so much annoyance to you—and gratification to the minister, that good old duffer." Here he went off again sending out peal after peal of laughter.

And Elizabeth, happy at being herself again, joined him. "I was afraid you wouldn't understand," she said at last "not being familiar with the matrimonial sentiments of our village."

"Understand!" he interrupted heartily. "Of course I understand I was brought up in a little Connecticut town where every man is considered marriageable at twenty. Luckily," with a sidewise glance, "I left before that time and so must answer for the crime of bachelorhood"

Elizabeth drew a long breath. "I thought there was no place as openly addicted to matrimony as the Highlands"

Callaman stopped to adjust a strap on his suit case "No town has a monopoly on that business, I believe," he said dully "I've known ideas anent it to penetrate to—well, we'll say a Boston apartment"

The whistle of the express sounded far up the track Callaman arose and picked up his suit case. Then he peered over the rock down on the station. "There's our friend the minister waiting to see me off" he chuckled, "and the fat man who placed me so readily on my arrival last night!"

An expression of annoyance passed over Elizabeth's face "They must have something to talk about, I suppose," she said resignedly.

For a moment the two walked down the path together in silence Then Callaman began soberly, "Miss Fairchild, I should very much enjoy giving those people something worth talking about"

Elizabeth innocently fell into the trap. "How?" she asked, glancing up with a smile

His tone was earnest despite the quizzical pucker at the corners of his mouth. "By visiting you again in—say, December—not to discuss china! May I come?"

Elizabeth caught her breath She glanced into the blue gray eyes meeting hers in deep questioning and replied simply, "Yes"

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We are fond of referring to Broadway, New York city, as an especially cosmopolitan street; but, if you will permit the expression, it is not in any way "in it" with the promenade at Ostende. All countries are represented, and every representative is in his Sunday best On a sunny afternoon in the season the boulevards of Paris are not more brilliant than this far famed avenue

Here the German officer is not in uniform, but in the full glory of his spotless white flannels, his many colored wide silk belt and his imitation panama hat And as he passes a group of attractive ladies his waxed mustache will grow stiffer in its upward twirls, and his walking stick will cut the air even more jauntily than before. If his monocle be especially cleverly handled and his face show an unusual number of the much coveted saber scars, he may be rewarded with a murmured "Reitzender Kerl."

The tall, black bearded Russian will walk somberly along and show no emotion or interest in anything, but you may be sure that very little will escape his notice, and at the casino when the play is high you will always find him in close attendance.—Charles F. Peters in Bohemian Magazine.

THE INFINITE.

Beyond the Visible the Invisible, Beyond the Invisible the Unknown.

In "Victor Hugo's Intellectual Autobiography" the great Frenchman writes as follows of the infinite after asking what vehicle shall be adopted to cross the spaces of the universe: "The locomotive travels fifteen leagues an hour. The hurricane travels sixty leagues an hour. The cannon ball travels 700 leagues an hour. The locomotive drags; the hurricane limps; the cannon ball is a tortoise Let us bestride a ray of light This is a mount 4 000 times swifter than the cannon ball, 4,200,000 times swifter than the hurricane and 17,000,000 times swifter than the locomotive It makes, as you know, 70,000 leagues a second.

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"The apparitions of the universe will continue to loom The unsoundable will remain before you in its entirety Beyond the visible the invisible, beyond the invisible the unknown. Everywhere, everywhere, in the zenith, at the nadir, in front, behind, above, below, in the heights, in the depths, looms the formidable darkness of the infinite

"What, then, is there back of all this? Nothing, say you? Nothing? What! I, a worm of the earth, am possessed of an intelligence, and this immensity is without one? Oh, pardon us, Abyss of Infinity!"

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A Romance in Its Aftermath.

By FRANK H. SWEET.

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CURIOUSLY enough it had never come home to Elizabeth Dunning that she was an old maid until this morning She had been training the unruly arms of a clambering Seven Sisters rose when pretty Susie Wrenn came tripping by on her way to the mail.

"Oh, Miss Dunnin'," the girl had called, slacking her pace a little as she neared the gate, "ma wants to know if she can borrow your cake tins this mornin'. We're expectin' company, an' we've only got one."

"Why, certainly, Susie, you can have them and welcome. Stop on your way back from the mail."

"Thank you," moving up a little and then lingering as though wishing to say more, but hardly knowing how to proceed "Them's awful nice roses you've got"

"Yes, they are nice," assented Miss Dunning, clipping off a handful and offering them across the fence. "You must come in some morning and look at my bed of teas and at my hedge of jacks." Then she smiled encouragingly into the blushing, upturned face. "Now, what is it, Susie?" she asked. "You have something else to tell me."

"Oh, it's nothin' much," protested the girl bashfully, but with eyes and cheeks which belied her words. "You see, I've only told ma so far, an' now it seems I must tell you next."

"Of course," with affected indignation. "Did I not know you as a baby in long clothes and have I not been your Sunday school teacher more than ten years? Certainly, you must tell me."

But still the girl hesitated, looking at her feet and down the street and across the fence to the pretty cottage whose verandas were embowered with clambering roses and honeysuckles. At last she broke into a frank, merry laugh.

"What a fool I am, Miss Dunnin'," she cried. "It's only that I'm goin' to be married. I'll stop for the tins comin' back," and she ran lightly down the sidewalk, only pausing for a moment to glance over her shoulder

"It's Mr. Gray," she called with something that was almost exultation in her voice, "an' he's real nice, if I do say it"

Miss Dunning's face had been full of the kindliest interest, and its expression did not change now as she watched the girl speed buoyantly down the street. But her long, tapering fingers trembled slightly as they left the paling and turned to the rose clipping. Long years ago—she did not care to remember how many—she had tripped down the sidewalk like that and had been pretty and vivacious and hopeful And with her in those days it had also been Mr Gray, and she, too, had thought him real nice.

And still the golden oriole sang on, oblivious of all but his mate and the rapture of his own music. Miss Dunning listened with a tender smile on her face. Had she chosen for the best?

"YOU HAVE SOMETHING ELSE TO TELL ME."

She thought so unflinchingly, even when her very heartstrings were crying for redress He had succeeded wonderfully, as he could not possibly have done had there been a weight to clog his flight.

She was glad to remember that she had told him to go, impetuously, with unflinching eyes and lips, and she was glad to remember also that he had looked at her with expostulation and entreaty and that he had flatly refused to consider so cold blooded a thing and then had flamed out and declared she did not love him as he did her and that he would follow her command and make ambition the rule of his life.

She had not been able to keep up with his progress very closely, for even a brilliant career on the other side of the world only comes back in stray paragraphs and the most meager of reports. But she knew the success was there and that it was of the kind they had dreamed.

Long ago she had given up all thought of their ever being to each other more than they had been. Perhaps they would never see one another again in this world. Even when she learned that he was coming home, renowned for his intellect and noble work, she looked forward to meeting him with unquestioning gladness. It was not so much her youth returning as it was the great success of her planning coming back for approval and commendation. Their youth was very near and dear, but it was something that was past and laid away in the lavender and rose leaves of her memory.

She had always remembered him as the young man who had gone away from her—strong, erect and with black, curling hair thrust carelessly back from his forehead. Now, looking clearly into the past through the revelation which had just come to her and with out the glamour of her own love to idealize him, she had tried to imagine how this man who had been hers, but was now another's, might appear He was older than her by two years That meant he was forty-one. Here she broke resolutely from her retrospection Why was she so foolish? Forty-one was young for a man, even as thirty-nine was old for a woman. Of course he was just the right age for pretty, simple minded Susie and would have the clear judgment and experience which she lacked, and of course a strong, beauty loving man who had been so long away from the world would prefer a pretty young girl to a faded old maid But as she walked resolutely to the house, forgetting alike the roses and the perfect June day, there was for the first time a hard, bitter pain at her heart. She could spare him to greater usefulness, to a noble ambition, but this—oh, this was different!

And yet when she came from her room an hour later there was no sign of disquiet in her brown eyes or trace of agitation on the delicate flush of her cheeks. The rest of the unruly arms of the Seven Sisters were cut away or trained toward usefulness, and she was standing with her head tipped slightly to one side in contemplation of her work when again came the familiar tap, tap, tap down the sidewalk ending with the sharp click of her gate latch.

"Here I am again, Miss Dunnin'," a blithe voice called, "beggin' for roses this time The cows have eaten ours off clean, an' we must have a good spread for our company. I don't know what the place would do without your rose garden an' lilies an' strawberry bed—or we girls, for that matter, without you," catching a hand and raising it to her lips with a pretty, graceful caress that caused the older woman to throw an arm across the young girl's shoulder in sudden tenderness

"Oh, I forgot to tell you, Miss Dunnin'," Susie cried roguishly. "He's come"

Miss Dunning's hand closed a little more closely upon the pruning shears, but her face was calm, even smiling.

"I thought he was not expected until next week," she observed. "At least that is what the paper said."

"Oh, I don't know," doubtfully. "We don't have the paper, but I think Charlie was expecting him before next week. Charlie's my brother-in-law, you know, an' owns that pretty house near the river. Mr. Gray's goin' to stay with him They used to know each other But, there! I'd better get the roses and be goin'. They're all comin' up this evenin', and ma said for me to hurry back an' get through with my fixing' an' fussin'. An', say, Miss Dunnin', if you don't mind, I'd like to bring him to see you 'fore he goes," looking up with a roguish, pleading expression on her pretty, baby face

"Of course," the strained lips forced themselves to say. "You must bring him by all means."

But after the girl's departure Miss Dunning left the roses and hurried away to the seclusion of her room. Bring him to her, this young girl who had been but a baby when the two had been so much to each other! What did it mean? And he had not even written to her or in any way announced his coming

The next day was spent on the front veranda, reading or playing with her squirrels and dog or idly touching the strings of the guitar, which was another of her pastimes But through it all her mind was elsewhere, listening for long absent but familiar footsteps, recalling incidents which she had stored away among the treasures of her memory and sending swift, eager glances to that point of the road at which Susie first appeared. She was getting old, she told herself weakly. This lack of self control was proof of it. But still she sat there and listened and thought and watched.

But the day wore away, and he did not come, and then the next and the next. Through all these years her eyes had retained their brightness and buoyancy, and her cheeks had lost but little of the delicate bloom of their youth. But now her face grew strained and piteous, and dark circles began to inclose her eyes If only he had gone by once and lifted his hat or had given some sign of remembrance or recognition! But, no; he did not even pass along her sidewalk or in any way evince a consciousness of her existence On the fourth day Susie hurried by to the postoffice and back, but was apparently too much occupied with her thoughts to glance at the rosebushes or vine inclosed veranda. Miss Dunning watched her until she disappeared behind a hedge of althea and then turned hastily in search of some work to occupy her tremulous fingers Evidently Susie was too happy to divide her thoughts, and probably he was happy, too, but somehow, for the first time in her life, Miss Dunning could not bring herself in thorough sympathy with the happiness of others

One day as she sat there with a book in her lap and her eyes fixed upon that last visible point of the street before it was shut out by the other hedge a firm, eager step came up the sidewalk from the opposite direction. But she did not notice until her gate latch clicked Then she turned inquiringly

She knew him in an instant, for the years had brought but a stronger step and nobler carriage, with perhaps a too liberal sprinkling of gray hair, which she could discern even from the veranda. She was conscious of a curious thrill of awe and tenderness as she rose from her chair, for even in that brief instant she remembered there was not a single gray intruder among her own soft hair, and his she associated with the work which had conquered obstacles and adversity.

There was no reserve or ceremony in her movements, and by the time he had closed the gate she was halfway down the walk. But it was an older sister greeting her brother hero, or, rather, as one who had sent her best thoughts out to conquer the world and was now eager to wreathe them with the laurel of victory.

"Alfred!" she said as she went forward with outstretched hands.

"Elizabeth!" And then he bent forward and touched his lips to her forehead. And she received the kiss with her eyes looking straight into his and with only the faintest possible color stealing into her cheeks. It was not a wrong to her girlish admirer or an act of presumption or breach of faith on his part. It was merely the seal of the success of their twenty years of joint labor.

"I'VE BROUGHT HIM AT LAST, MISS DUNNIN'."

"Come up to the veranda, Alfred," she said, with her eyes full of frank welcome "I want to hear all about it. Of course I know in a fragmentary way, but it will seem new and more real from your lips."

And he told her, sitting in his old place behind the honeysuckle, with the swaying sprays sending alternate lines of sunlight and shade across his face in the same old way, and she listened, with eyes full and lips half parted and with her head nodding commendation or sympathy from time to time. It was a story of heroism and triumph, told in a straightforward matter of fact way, without egotism or self depreciation, knowing that it was her right to have it all, even as he had lived it.

"But it is good to be home again, Elizabeth," he concluded with a satisfied sigh as he leaned back in his chair and surveyed the veranda and rose garden beyond "The memory of these flowers and their owner has been with me through all the twenty years, and many times have I been on the point of giving up the struggle and returning to them. And, indeed," a trace of reserve coming into his voice, "I might have done so but for what you said and the look you gave me when we last stood together among your honeysuckles. I know I could only return to the sentence of a deserter who had forsaken his colors"

"But—you never wrote, Alfred."

"Yes, twice. One of the letters was lost, however, for I heard of the ship going down in midocean. The other I never heard from. Perhaps it was lost too."

"I never received it." Then, "But you have been in the place a week, Alfred, and only just called."

He looked puzzled

"I came in on the train an hour ago, Elizabeth, and would have been here before but for a complication over a telegram. It seems there is another man of the same name in town."

"But Susie"

He raised his hand impatiently.

"Never mind, Susie. I have gone through my probation and have done my work with all the strength that God gave me Now I have come 10,000 miles for my reward—for you If there is more work, bid me do it, but for charity's sake do not refuse your companionship in the labor"

She was not looking at him now. Her heart was too full for speech, almost for thought. A squirrel ran down a pillar of the veranda and sought her lap, and the oriole lifted up his voice in a sudden ecstasy of song.

Then the gate clicked, and she roused herself with an effort. A young man whom she did not know stood before her, and with him was Susie.

"I've brought him at last, Miss Dunnin'," the girl cried merrily, "but I just had to drag him; he's so bashful. Mr. Gray, this is the Sunday school teacher I've told you about." Then, disregarding further formality and with bubbling gladness in her voice: "An' oh, say, Miss Dunnin', we've coaxed him to stay with us for good and all He's goin' to open a grocery next the postoffice." Here she caught sight of the gray haired, soldierly figure in the background and stopped in sudden confusion.

"This is Mr Gray, too, Susie," Miss Dunning said with something in her voice the girl could not understand, "and he, too, is going to stay here 'for good and all'"

A Sad Bereavement.

An honest countryman, anxious to explore the wonders of the British museum, obtained a special holiday a short time since. Accordingly, taking with him a couple of friends, he presented himself at the door for admittance.

"No admission today, sir," said the keeper.

"But I must come in. I've a holiday on purpose."

"No matter. This is a close day, and the museum is shut."

"What!" said John. "Ain't this public property?"

"Yes, but one of the mummies died a few days ago, and we are going to bury him."

"Oh, in that case we won't intrude!" said John in a hushed voice. So he retired.—London Tit-Bits.

The Unpopular Pump.

"That famous temperance reformer Francis Murphy," said a Pittsburg man, "had many an odd adventure in the course of his very useful life. He once told me of a case where a drinking man with a neat joke got for the moment a little the better of him in an argument. The man was a clubman, a bon vivant, famous for his wine cellar, and Mr. Murphy read him a strong lecture on the drink evil. But the bon vivant only smiled, shook his head and said:

"'Well, Mr. Murphy, I have seen many a pleasant party around a table, but I have never seen one around a pump.'"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Taken in One Way.

He—So you persist in breaking off the engagement? She—Most decidedly. What do you take me for? He—Oh, about forty. Better think it over. It may be your last chance.—Harper's Weekly.

THE COW'S HORN.

Various Ways In Which It Is Made Useful by Man.

Have you any conception of how useful that horn is to us? Scientifically it is known as a combination of phosphate of lime, gelatin and albumen, and, like all nature's products, the ingredients are in the right proportion to make the article useful to man as well as to the animal that bears it.

The lime makes the horn hard, but there is just enough lime to make it hard without making it brittle, and there is just enough gelatin to make the horn easy to cut and shape. The core of the horn is bone, and to get that out the horn is soaked in water for several weeks. When the core is taken out it is ground up and made into crucibles which are used for melting gold and silver in.

The outer end of the horn is hard and solid, and that is used for making knife handles and other things. The hollow part of the horn is soaked for half an hour or so in boiling water, when it becomes soft and may easily be split with a knife.

It is then spread out flat and put between iron plates. There was a time when these horn plates were made very thin by hard pressure and used in windows and lanterns as we now use glass. They may be made quite translucent.

When the horn is heated it may be molded into almost any desired form. That is the way knife handles, buttons and other articles are made.—Chicago News.

ENGLISH STORIES.

The Striking Way an Oxford Notable Won a Nickname.

Dean Stanley once went late to dinner with his collar flapping. His hostess ventured to ask him if he knew. "Oh, yes!" answered the dean. "Do you mind?" "Not at all," said the lady. "Then I don't mind, either. The button dropped off while I was dressing." And the dean continued his conversation.

Rev. W. H. Tuckwell is responsible for the history of how an Oxford notable in the thirties got his nickname "Presence of Mind" Smith. He went boating with a friend and returned alone and was asked what had become of his companion. He explained that his friend had fallen into the Thames, "and if I had not with great presence of mind hit him on the head with a boat hook the both of us would have been drowned"

The late Joseph Joachim was a great favorite in London and for more than sixty years rarely missed a season there. A certain nobleman told him that he was going to St James' hall to hear him, and Joachim later asked him if he had found it tedious. "Not at all," serenely answered the titled personage. "I enjoyed myself immensely. I did not recognize you at first under your disguise as a nigger, but later I laughed all the more." The nobleman had strolled by mistake into a minstrel show instead of the large concert hall

A WARM WELCOME.

The Way an American Visitor Was Received in London.

"When I arrived in London," says a well known actor, "I received a charming letter from a man whose name I could not recall ever having heard before, but presuming that it must be some friend whom I had forgotten I readily accepted the invitation to dinner which the epistle contained and duly turned up the following evening at the hotel named. A gentleman whom I did not recognize at once approached me with outstretched hand, and so pleased did he seem to see me that I did not like to hurt his feelings by admitting that my memory had failed me, but trusted that some chance remark might presently remind me of our previous acquaintance.

"In due course we enjoyed the best dinner the house had to offer, accompanied by the very choicest cigars. At this point the gentleman left the room in order to get something out of his overcoat pocket and failed to reappear. I waited for him in vain. Then by degrees the truth dawned upon me, and I realized why he had been so genuinely pleased to meet me However, he told so many amusing stories that the evening was pleasant enough to more than compensate me for being obliged to pay the bill."—New York Globe.

A SOLDIER'S DREAM.

This Little Gem of Fiction Comes to Us From France.

A French soldier who had been away from home for several years returned unexpectedly to his native town. The day of his arrival being Sunday, he went to the village church, believing his wife would be there, and he thus could see her the sooner. Taking a seat near the door, he waited until the service was over.

While waiting, being very much fatigued after a long journey he fell asleep, his head resting on the back of the pew. While sleeping he dreamed of being seized as a spy and after a short trial was condemned and led out for execution. The guillotine had been erected, the army stood ranged about, and all the preparations were made as impressively as possible. The condemned man was placed in position, and the last act in the drama was at hand.

Just at that moment his wife was passing down the aisle of the church on her way out. She recognized her husband and in order to awaken him tapped his neck playfully with her fan as his head was thrown back on the seat. The contact of the fan he in his dream supposed to be the knife of the guillotine. The shock was so great it killed him instantly.

Mother and Son.

Mother—Now, you sit down in that chair and be good for ten minutes, Son—I don't want to. Pa'll be home in ten minutes, and I'll have to be good anyway.—Judge.

A Novelty.

Guest—I hear you are going to give up housekeeping. Host—Sh—not so loud! My wife wants to have the satisfaction of discharging the cook.—Puck.

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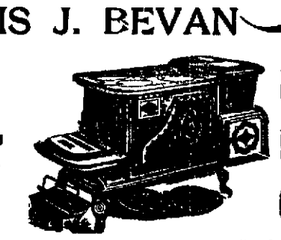

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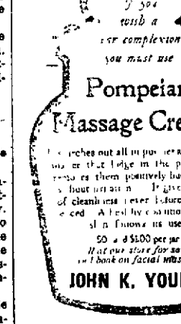

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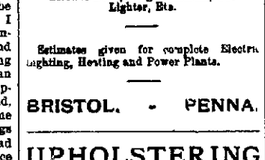

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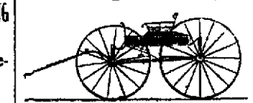

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